

## THE WEATHER

Light snow today and tonight with little change in temperature; Tuesday snow flurries and slightly colder. Warren temp.: High 32, low 23.

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## GOOD EVENING

It would be interesting to know how many Christmas presents have been wrapped up and stored away to be used as wedding gifts come next June!

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## NAZI RETREAT IN BULGE VERGES ON ROUT

## GERMANS WITHDRAWING ALL WAY TO SIEGFRIED LINE TRY TO STIFFEN THEIR DEFENSES

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BITE DEEPER INTO THE SHOULDER OF SALIENT

By JAMES M. LONG

Paris, Jan. 15.—(P)—The American First Army drove within a mile and a half today of the communications center of Houffalize, pivot of a new improvised German defense line in the flattening Belgian bulge. Heavy fog, a blinding snowstorm and a sharp drop in the freezing temperature slowed the pace of the three solidly linked Allied armies elsewhere, and again grounded tactical air forces late in the day. Clear weather during the morning had permitted some planes to attack the Germans on the southern part of the salient.

The famous "hell on wheels" Second Armored Division drove closest to Houffalize, striking from the north. Third Army troops were a bare three miles south of the town, and British and Americans were last reported a little more than three miles away from the west.

## OIL CENTERS TARGETS FOR AERIAL DRIVE

Fortresses and Liberators Continue Mighty New Allied Offensive Against Reich

OVER 1,000 TAKE PART

## BULLETIN

London, Jan. 15.—(P)—Almost 1,300 American bombers and fighters from Britain pounded four railroad yards in southern Germany without interference from German fighters today, following yesterday's large-scale battles in which 243 enemy aircraft were destroyed.

London, Jan. 15.—(P)—U. S. Eighth Air Force Fortresses and Liberators raided Germany by daylight today, continuing their mighty Allied aerial offensive which lasted eight prime Nazi oil centers in a 36-hour period ending last night.

An official announcement said American long range bombers were over Germany again at noon today, after RAF heavies "in very great strength" heaped tons of explosives on the Leuna synthetic oil plant at Merseburg and on a fuel depot at Dahlen last night.

Use of the quoted phrase in air (Turn to Page Nine)

## Wheeler Calls For Political Council

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.), calling for immediate formation of a United Nations Political Council, contended today that Europe is being forced into the "embrace" of Russia through "power politics."

The Montana senator said the Senate after bipartisan support developed over the week-end for a proposal by Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) of the foreign relations committee for the United Nations to set up a provisional council to handle political questions. This council would operate while agreements on a world security organization were being ratified.

In a prepared address, the Montana senator told his colleagues he was convinced that with Great Britain in the objective of restoring free government to Nazi-occupied countries "is even now a secondary aim, and with Russia it is not an aim at all."

The chairman of the senate foreign relations committee plans to lay his idea before secretary of state Stettinius this week.

## War Damage Insurance Is Being Paid By Corporation

By MAX HALL

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—No shot bombs have hit the United States, but even without them the government has already paid war damage insurance claims to a number of property owners on the U. S. mainland.

The War Damage Corporation, which leads the world's insurance companies with well over \$100,000,000 of insurance in force, protects against loss resulting from (1) enemy attack, or (2) action of American forces in resisting enemy attack.

The corporation disclosed today for the first time—specific examples of claims it has paid, as follows:

1. More than \$4,500 for damage to a building in Hempstead, Long Island, caused by the falling of an enemy airplane.
2. A "number of claims resulting from the explosion of the U. S. destroyer Turner in New York harbor on January 3, 1944.
3. Several claims in the Los Angeles-Long Beach area for damage resulting from falling shells from anti-aircraft guns.
4. More than \$1,000 for damage to an oil company's property on the California coast which was shelled by a submarine, "probably Japanese."
5. A claim of \$10 for damage to a house in the San Francisco Bay area struck by a navy blimp.

## M'Arthur Forces Fast Closing in on Nips Reds Storm Westward in Seven Sectors

## Dealers Seek Solution To Cigaret Shortage

Chicago, Jan. 15.—(P)—That day to day uncertainty about finding cigarettes—currently plaguing many smokers throughout the nation—may be somewhat alleviated by efforts of a dealers conference that opened today. The answer, they hold, is rationing. The National Association of Tobacco Distributors met to do something about the cigarette shortage which they dislike as much as the smokers. What they propose may take the form of national cigarette rationing to retailers aimed at a fair distribution of the limited supplies.

## Man Shoots Two Sisters And Suicides

Phillipsburg, Jan. 15.—(P)—A 56-year-old man shot and wounded two young women and then killed himself today, at nearby Morrisdale, Edwin Gustafson, assistant chief of police of Phillipsburg reported.

Gustafson identified the man as Willard G. Strange and the young women as May Dullen, 21, and Virginia Dullen, 19, sisters. The young women were brought to the Phillipsburg State Hospital where their condition was stated to be good. Virginia Dullen was shot in the hip and thigh and her sister, May, in the abdomen.

Gustafson said the young women were shot after May Dullen refused to marry Strange, who lives about a mile from her home. The officer said that when the man went to the Dullen home, Strange and May had words, and the shooting followed. Virginia Dullen, Gustafson said, was wounded in trying to take the pistol away from Strange.

After the shooting, Strange ran from the house and a short time later was found dead at his own home, one side of his head blown off by a shotgun charge. One end of a piece of string had been attached to the trigger of the gun and the other was looped around his right foot.

Coroner E. S. Erhard, of Clearfield county, declared Strange's death a suicide.

## Vital Empire Life Line Declared Cut

U. S. Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Pearl Harbor, Jan. 15.—(P)—The navy still had nothing further to report today on its bold south China sea thrust but a delayed flagship report declared the Third Fleet cut that vital Japanese empire line with surprising ease.

In a report from Vice Adm. John S. McCain's carrier force dated Jan. 12 (Thursday), Jan. 11, Pearl Harbor and U. S. time), Associated Press Correspondent Rembert James said:

"Japan lost control of her vital south China sea routes today." Last official word here of the Third Fleet's activities was in a Friday night communique reporting the attacks, which had sunk enemy warships and transports and damaged 13 others, were going into their second day.

Pacific fleet headquarters listed one light cruiser and several destroyers among the enemy vessels sunk.

## Nazis Frustrated On Adriatic Front

Rome, Jan. 15.—(P)—Repeated Nazi efforts to set up outposts south of the Reno river and east of the Senio along the Adriatic battle line have been frustrated with heavy losses to the enemy, Allied headquarters announced today.

Strongly reinforced German forces have dug in along the farthest of these rivers from the Adriatic to the Apennines and it is apparent that Field Marshal Kesselring intends to hold that line at all costs.

In the western coastal regions of the Fifth Army German patrols stepped up activity, particularly in the Serchio valley where a recent German counteroffensive was beaten back.

## YANKS HURDLE VITAL AGNO RIVER BARRIER

Infantrymen in Fifth Day of Invasion Continue South At Pace Limited By Supply Columns

## CAPTURE MANGATAREM

By the Associated Press  
A Japanese Imperial headquarters communique admitted today that American forces are "gradually closing in on Japanese positions on both sides of the Pangasinan plain" on Luzon.

Pangasinan plain includes the curving U. S. beachhead off Lingayen Gulf leading into the broad sweeping corridor to Manila. "Part of the American forces landed in the vicinity of Damortis," added the communique which was intercepted by the Federal Communications Commission, "and Japanese forces are now seriously counterattacking in this area," continuing this unconfirmed claim, the communique added that on Jan. 11 and 12, Japanese forces sank or damaged at least 14 landing barges and accounted for about 1,000 enemy troops either killed or wounded.

By C. YATES McDaniel  
General MacArthur's Headquarters, Luzon, Jan. 15.—(P)—U. S. Sixth Army troops crossed the formidable but virtually undefended Agno river 88 miles from Manila and overran scattered Japanese to expand their Longayan beachhead 30 miles to a total of 45, Gen. Douglas MacArthur reported today.

The infantrymen in their fifth day of the invasion hurdled the Agno, where the enemy had been expected to make a stand, at Bayambang, 22 miles from the gulf. They continued south at a pace limited only by the ability of supply columns to keep up with them. Mangataram was captured by the westernmost spearhead in an eight-mile advance brushing through two enemy skirmishing parties of 150 men each. The eastern flank had more difficulty going but approached Catablan, 20 miles inland, in a five-mile gain.

On this front the Yanks ran into small arms and artillery fire from an enemy position of foxholes and dugouts. Eighty-two Japanese and a few Americans were killed.

Extension of the beachhead took in the important rail and highway junction of Damortis on the north (Turn to Page Nine)

## Pennsylvania Legislature Back to Work

Pennsylvania, Jan. 15.—(P)—The 1945 Pennsylvania legislature will get to work this week on its program of maximum war effort and preparations for peace-time adjustments.

Appointment of committees in both the senate and house today will pave the way for the introduction of bills, including much of the Martin administration's program.

The senate meets at 4 p. m. and the house at 9 p. m., after a two-week recess following the opening day when the Republican majority organized both branches and a joint session received the commonwealth's \$668,000,000 budget for the next two years.

First administration bills ready for introduction would allot the state's \$170,000,000 cash surplus to pay off \$49,000,000 of building bonds and earmark the remainder for postwar work.

Governor Martin has advised against any change in the state's tax structure, except to earmark a one-cent emergency gasoline tax yielding \$22,500,000 annually for local highways to relieve real estate levies to that extent.

In addition to the gasoline tax, the administration programs calls for re-enactment of emergency levies on liquor, cigarettes, corporate net incomes and gross receipts, estimated to yield \$151,722,900 during 1945-47.



Highlights of Allied action in the Pacific are shown on above map, principal event of the week being the Yank invasion of Luzon in the Philippines.

## Superforts In Bold Strikes In Pacific Area

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—America's heavyweights of the air, B-29s, boldly struck Japan with another one-two attack yesterday. While one fleet of Superfortresses bombed the fortress island of Formosa, main link to the beleaguered Philippines, another force blasted the home island of Honshu.

The two daylight strikes—each with upwards of 100 planes taking part—were carried out without a single loss to enemy action, the war department reported.

Japanese broadcasts said the target of the Honshu raiders was Nagoya, vital aircraft center. An imperial communique read over the Tokyo radio claimed nine of the Superforts were shot down and 34 damaged over Honshu.

Meanwhile it was learned that General H. H. "Hap" Arnold wants his air forces to feel that they no longer are merely "air support" but have become "an arm of war" themselves.

He has asked all air forces personnel to drop reference to "air support" in favor of a more fitting description such as "air coordination."

The attack on Formosa was the second of the new year, the other in 1945 having been carried out last Tuesday. Formosa, 90 miles off the China coast, is a concentration point for enemy planes, troops and supplies. It has been bombed frequently in recent months.

## MERCY PLANE

Erie, Jan. 15.—(P)—A third youngster from the snowbound rural area of Erie county is recovering in an Erie hospital through air-ambulance work of Louis Raub, amateur pilot, and his ski-equipped mercy plane. The sufferer is Alex Slipcevic, 3, of Harborcreek, who had an abscess fever. Raub brought two other youngsters here in the last week—one for an appendectomy, the other for treatment of an infected finger.

## Mild Temperature Prevails in Nation

By the Associated Press  
Unusually mild weather and above normal temperatures prevailed today in western and southern states.

Texas had readings of 76 at Dallas and San Antonio while New Orleans had 69 and Miami 75. The government weather bureau in Chicago said the mild spell was expected to continue.

The only cold area centered in New England which was heavily blanketed by snow ranging from 2 to 14 inches. Icy highways snarled traffic in New York. Additional snow was predicted for the area today. Temperatures ranged from 5 degrees to the low 20's.

## LaGuardia Suggests Good Old Fish Fridays

New York, Jan. 15.—(P)—"Good old fish Fridays," says Mayor F. H. La Guardia, should be supplemented in New York City's restaurants with "by-product menus" on Monday and a "return to meat-less Tuesdays."

La Guardia said yesterday he was working on a plan to be submitted to public eating places as a means of conserving the city's meat supply. He also appealed for housewives cooperation.

## Veteran Diplomat Given New Post

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—President Roosevelt today nominated Edwin C. Wilson, veteran American diplomat, to be ambassador to Turkey.

The action filled the last major diplomatic post of this government which was still open in the European area. Wilson, who was the president's representative at Algiers when that was headquarters for the French Committee of Liberation and who subsequently served as a member of the Mediterranean commission, is now director of the state department's office of special political affairs.

The Turkish assignment formerly was held by Laurence Steinhardt, who was named ambassador to Czechoslovakia some weeks ago.

## OVER A MILLION IN THE CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Harrisburg, Jan. 15.—(P)—Civilian defense enrollments in Pennsylvania now total 1,482,556 or about one-seventh of the state's population.

Dr. Ralph Cooper Hutchison, executive director of the state Council of Defense said that an increase of 883 volunteers in December over the number enrolled in November indicated that citizens were realizing that the war is far from won.

## Uncle Sam Lists Essential Aids to Help Win the War

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—The Office of War Information said today:

"The government needs and asks citizens in this 162nd week of the war to:

"Turn out all unnecessary or ornamental lights to help avert shortages of coal essential to war production.

"Keep the temperature in homes at a 68-degree maximum. Live within your fuel oil rations; if you

## Necessity Of Work-or-Fight Order Probed

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—Opposing enactment now of pending work-or-fight legislation, chairman Mead (D-N. Y.) ordered a reassessment by the senate war investigating committee of the nation's manpower needs.

Mead told a reporter the committee would call before it this week representatives of the War Manpower Commission, War Production Board and the War Department to learn whether the jobs filling gaps previously fixed had been reached by voluntary methods of whether any legislation actually is needed.

These witnesses also will be asked, the chairman said, whether Allied losses in material and equipment in the Germans' Belgian offensive were such as to force an upward revision in manpower needs.

The house military committee is continuing hearings on a measure which would make all deferred selective registrants between 18 and 45 liable to penalties if they declined to comply with a request to move from non-essential jobs to war employment. Mead expressed doubt that such legislation is needed now.

The house group called representatives of the American Federation of Labor and the CIO for testimony today and tomorrow.

## CAMERON SPORTSMEN HAVE FEEDING HIKE

Emporium, Jan. 15.—(P)—The Cameron Rod and Gun Club braved heavy snows in Cameron county mountain yesterday to provide food for wild life.

W. G. Munsell, veteran sportsman who led one of 10 crews, said "because of the heavy snows of the past month it was impossible to get into the woods very deep, the men had to hike to get food where it would do the most good."

The men cut young poplars for deer, trimmed wild apple trees, and left grain, scraps and bread for fowl.

## NEW THRUSTS TAKE SOVIETS ACROSS NIDO

German Communique Says Russians Have Opened Offensive Between Carpathians and Memel

## TAKE 300 LOCALITIES

London, Jan. 15.—(P)—Battles are sweeping the entire 600 miles of the eastern front from Budapest in Hungary to Memel on the Baltic, the German high command said today, with the Russians launching new offensives in Poland and East Prussia.

The German communique said the Russians had opened the "big winter battle between the Carpathians and Memel."

Altogether, the Russians were storming westward in seven different sectors. New Soviet attacks, sprung following drumfire artillery barrages, were launched in Poland from Russian bridgeheads at Pulawy and Varla south of Warsaw, from the Vistula-Bug triangle north of Warsaw, and Narew bridgehead south of East Prussia, the Germans said.

In addition the Russians were attacking between Ebenrode and Schlossberg in East Prussia, toward Krakow in northern Poland in southern Slovakia north of Budapest.

The Germans admitted that Marshal Ivan S. Konev's offensive in southern Poland had forced a strong bridgehead over the Nida in southern Poland, where last night's Moscow communique announced a penetration to within 64 miles of Germany's Silesian border and 32 miles from Krakow, ancient Polish capital.

While the Russians had not yet confirmed the launching of other new attacks, an Associated Press dispatch from Moscow said there were signs "the Red army may shortly engage every division on the eastern front in some of the heaviest battles of the Russian-German war, eclipsing perhaps anything the Soviets have yet thrown against the Nazis."

"Long preparation presumably has been completed for a resumption of operations against the Germans in East Prussia and northern Poland."

The new Russian attacks in south Poland described by the Germans were from the Palaway bridgehead over the Vistula, 68 miles southeast of Warsaw, and 130 miles northeast of Krakow, the Warla bridgehead over the Vistula 30 miles south of Warsaw.

By EDDIE GILMORE  
Moscow, Jan. 15.—(P)—Russian armored forces surged through southern Poland today to within 64 miles of the heavily fortified German Silesian frontier amid mounting indications that the new Soviet winter offensive may soon spread over the entire eastern front from the Baltic to Yugoslavia.

Marshal Ivan S. Konev's new thrust, which in three days has carried across the Nido river on a 37-mile front and drove a deep wedge into the Warsaw-Krakow defense line, appears to be part of a great Red army general offensive to clear Poland, liberate Warsaw and carry the battle to the in-

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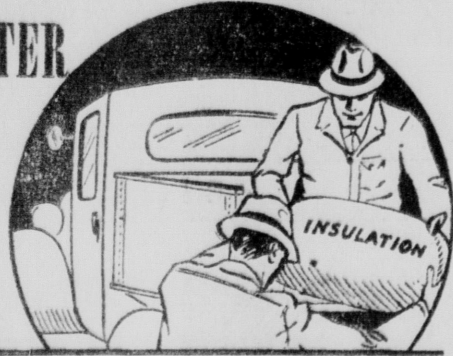
## Record Clearance Sale Shaping Up

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—Plans for the world's biggest clearance sale—the disposal of an estimated \$100,000,000 worth of surplus government property—shaped into firmer outline today, following two significant weekend developments.

Bernard M. Baruch, President Roosevelt's informal economic consultant, recommended "self-containment" for the United States and retention of government control over stockpiles of raw materials obtained at great expense from far-away corners of the globe.

And, with the senate set for all-but-automatic confirmation of former Senator Guy M. Gillette as a member of the surplus property board, sentiment was mounting in favor of his designation as chairman.

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## State Industries Provide Their Full Share of Sinews of War During the Year Just Ending

By the Associated Press  
Pennsylvania industries drove at full tilt during 1944, providing their share of the sinews of war for the European and Pacific fronts.

Despite manpower shortages and labor troubles, mountains of coal rolled from the state's mines, iron and steel from its mills. Factories turned out tremendous quantities of such diverse products as ships and shells and airplane parts, aluminum, synthetic rubber, foods. Launchings of ships of war were a daily occurrence at Philadelphia and Pittsburgh shipyards. Scarcely a month passed in which steel companies did not announce new production records. Although fewer miners were working, coal production rose 5,000,000 tons in western Pennsylvania alone.

In 1945, industries face a production effort greater than ever, in view of increased estimates of requirements for the fighting fronts.

The world of coal may face a new crisis when biennial contracts of the United Mine Workers expire March 31. Steel, too, may have problems as the United Steel Workers have pledged themselves to continue their campaign, unsuccessful so far, to smash the "little steel" formula and win wage awards in excess of that governmental yardstick.

During 1944, both labor and management worked at fever heat to lessen the span of months until the final v-day.

Loss of workers to the armed forces handicapped both mines and mills. Illness and the increasing average of workers militated against maximum production. And there were strikes.

Efforts of the United Steel Workers of America (CIO) to break "little steel" formula, established by the War Labor Board in the spring of 1942, provided the big labor story of the year, particularly in Pennsylvania, leading steel state of the nation.

The "formula" provided there should be no general hourly wage increase of more than 15 per cent above Jan. 1, 1941, levels. The USWA, representing some 400,000 workers, demanded a flat wage increase of 17 cents an hour and other benefits.

In November the WLB gave the steel workers wage awards, principally on shift differentials, expected to average about 5 cents an hour, granted vacation pay and, in principle, approved severance pay. A plea for a guaranteed annual wage was referred to the president with the suggestion that a commission be named to study it.

The board said the awards did not crack the formula as they were

## Auto Crashes Due to Ice On City Streets

Police over the weekend were called upon to investigate a number of small auto crashes about the city. Several were of minor importance and mostly were due to the icy condition of the streets. Ruts in the ice made driving difficult.

On Friday cars of Ed Traub, 770 Woodbine avenue, Warren, O., and Marie See, of Youngsville came together at Poplar street and Pennsylvania avenue. Traub had stalled his car in a rut at the intersection and See unable to stop slid into him. Damage was slight.

Sunday a car driven by Arthur Shine, Page Hollow in which Mrs. Mattie Shine was a passenger was hit by a machine driven by Thomas J. Hodges, Falls Creek, accompanied by Mrs. W. E. Sheldon, of Reynoldsburg, owner of the car. Shine saw the approaching car and fearing a crash stopped his machine. According to the police report the car driven by Hodges seemed out of control due to the ice. The machine crashed and the lights, fenders, radiator and other parts of Shine's car were damaged. Mrs. Sheldon assumed all damage and will have it adjusted.

A couple of pranksters at the Ritchie Dinor last night rang up \$5.55 on the cash register when the waitress was not looking. Police were called and the fun loving youths will explain to Mr. Ritchie "how come" such a big sale was registered.

A few doors were found unlocked and the cops escorted some money to the bank during Saturday night.

## Fine Record Made in 1944 By WMC Here

The United States Employment Service of the War Manpower Commission at Warren placed 3,465 workers in jobs last year, David W. Levine, Manager of the USES office announced today. Of these placements, he said, 1,628 were women.

"Under the priority referral system, whereby we channel as many male workers as possible into war jobs where they are most vitally needed," Mr. Levine said "many of these workers were found jobs directly backing the war effort."

Placements in occupational groups were as follows: Professional and managerial 40; clerical and sales 300; service jobs 52; skilled work 283; semi-skilled 348; unskilled and other 2,402. Applicant-Holding Clearance Placements 40.

The Employment Service here anticipates continued heavy demand for workers in view of the present manpower shortage, it was said.

## Penn'a Power And Light Rate Schedule Obed

Harrisburg, Jan. 15 — (AP)—Eleven-year-old complaints against Pennsylvania Power and Light company electric, gas and steam heating rates were dismissed today by the Public Utility Commission in a 3-2 decision which found the way for a \$9,360,000 rate boost.

The 52-page majority order found present rates "not unjust, unreasonable or productive of an excessive return to the company and that the utility's 1942 earned return was \$3,174,718 against an allowable \$13,337,650 on its three services.

The bigger job was being done by scarcely more than 400,000 men. Coal diggers in Pennsylvania kept pace with or even surpassed the national effort. Twelve western Pennsylvania counties, including Fayette and Washington, two of three largest soft-coal producing counties in the nation, have dug some 90 million tons this year, as compared with 85 millions last year. The Solid Fuels Administration said strikes caused a production loss of 1,300,000 tons during the year.

Philadelphia had a labor nightmare the week of Aug. 1-7 when a strike of 6,000 employees of the Philadelphia Transit Co. tied up all transportation in the city of 2,000,000. It caused an estimated 15 per cent slump in vital war production, resulted in hospitalization of 14 persons injured in racial clashes, and cost merchants \$5,000,000 in business, strikers \$250,000 in wages and the transit company \$650,000 in revenue.

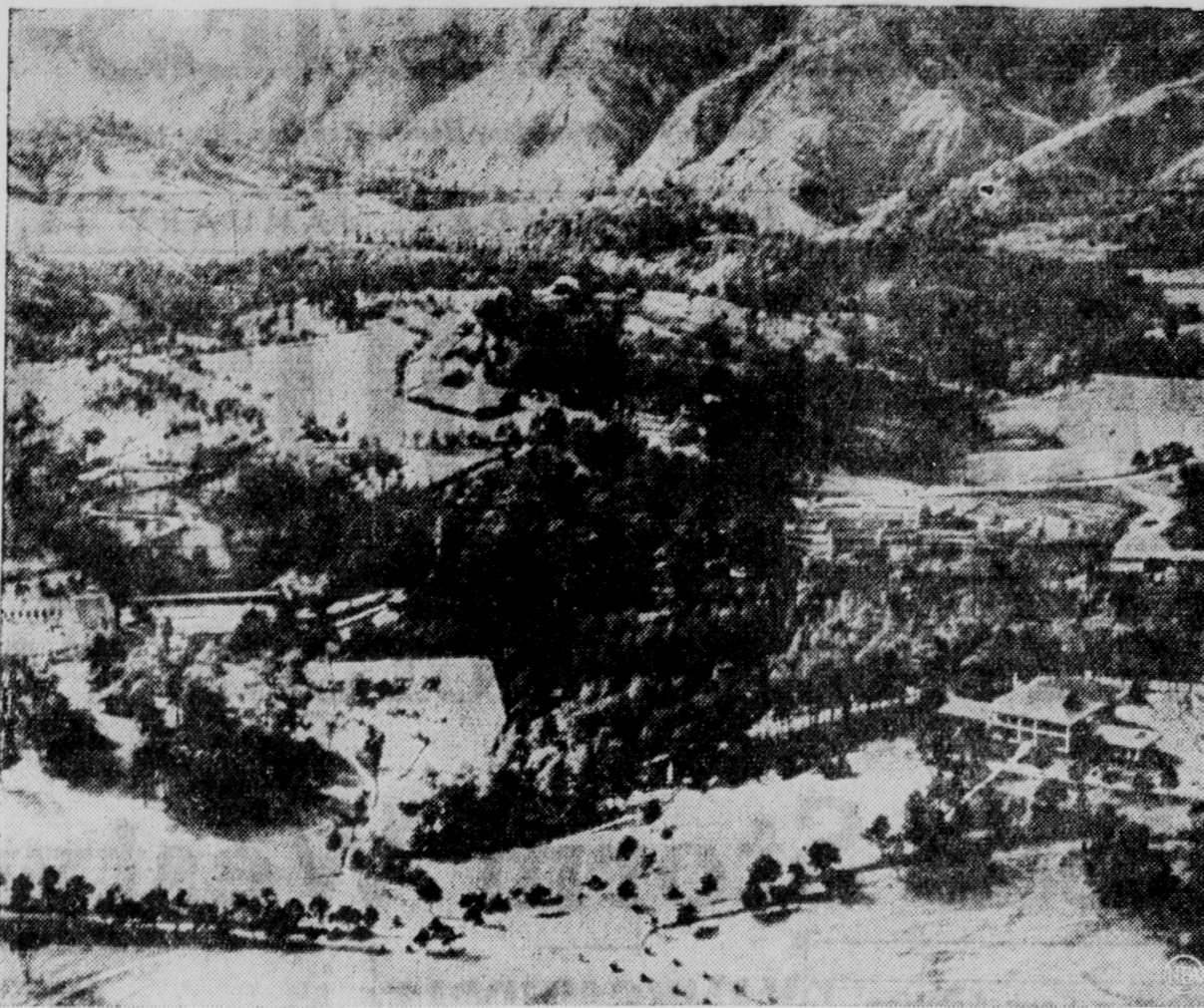
The army moved in Aug. 3 and troops were placed on all cars to keep order. A work-or-be-fired ultimatum effective Aug. 7 was issued and 95 per cent of the strikers returned to their jobs. Civilian control was reestablished Aug. 17. Thirty PTC workers were indicted on charges of violating the War Labor disputes act. The cases are pending.

Worry or optimism about the state's industrial future marked many conferences of the last year. Pittsburgh considered plans for spending \$5,000,000 a year on public works for the first 10 years after the war. Other communities developed similar programs.

The Civil Aeronautics Administration sent to congress a billion dollar postwar program of airport construction and improvement, which included \$46,667,000 for 271 projects in Pennsylvania, the work to be completed in 5 or 10 years after the war.

Baked elephant's foot is one of the greatest food delicacies of the African bushman.

## Luzon Resort Under Yank Bombardment



U. S. flyers have plastered with bombs the Luzon mountain resort town of Baguio, summer capital of the Philippines, and thought to be the seat of Japanese leaders on the island. In background of airview, above, of Baguio, taken before the war, can be seen the former U. S. Army post, Camp Hay.

## Obituary

Unless otherwise stated, visiting hours at Warren's funeral homes are from 10 a. m. to 12; 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.

### MRS. ELTON ALLEN

Funeral services in memory of Ellen Louise Allen, 225 Oneida avenue, were held from the Leo D. Gibson Funeral Home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Beecher M. Rutledge, of Trinity Memorial church, officiated.

Commitment was made in the Wrightsville cemetery, with George Abbott, Leslie Allen, Earl Wilson, Earl Lawrence, William Weaver and Frank Crosby acting as bearers.

Attending from away were Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Allen, Mrs. Ernest Faust and Earl Wilson, of Lottsville; Mrs. Anna Nelson, Brookston, and Mrs. Helen Bailey, Ridgway.

### U. S. ROGERS

Funeral services in memory of Ulysses S. Rogers, 320 Crescent Park, were held at the Lutz Funeral Home at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, in charge of Rev. Wayne Furman, pastor of First Methodist church.

Ritual of Warren Commandery, No. 63, Knights Templar, was in charge of Philip Peabody, commander; Myron F. Buzard, prelate; Harold T. Flower, captain general, and the following members of the commandery acted as bearers for interment in Westlawn cemetery at Columbus: William A. Cover, Harold M. McNulty, Guy A. Eddis, Victor A. Anderson, Merle I. Sterling and Leo L. Gleese.

Those who came from away were his daughter, Miss Madeline Rogers, Jamestown, N. Y.; his son, Dr. Herman Rogers, and family, of Scotch Plains, N. J.; Mrs. Ruby Fuller and Mrs. Charles Rogers, Scio, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Winterhalter, Mrs. Gerald Babcock, Belmont, N. Y.; L. C. Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humphrey, Jean Baring, Dr. and Mrs. Earl McLean, Bradford; Mrs. J. R. Pace, Salamanca, N. Y.

### O. C. OLSON

Final rites for Ole Christ Olson, well known Clarendon merchant, were held at two o'clock Friday afternoon at the Peterson Funeral Home, conducted by Rev. L. V. Mohrman, with Rev. Harold Knappenger assisting. Interment was made in Oakland cemetery with Charles Schneider, Frank Nelson, Ronald Fredericks, H. W. Wachli, Arthur Carmony and Gilbert Nelson acting as bearers.

Attending from out of town were Mr. George Levitt, Cleveland, O.; Cpl. T. Warren Johnson, Indian town Gap; Mrs. Arthur Christenson, Mrs. Henry Christenson, Mrs. Harry Jones, Mrs. Elmer Gustafson, Mrs. Henry Christenson, Mrs. Harry Jones, Mrs. Elmer Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong, Jamestown, N. Y.

### MRS. G. M. BORG

Services in memory of Jennie Borg, wife of G. M. Borg, were held at three o'clock Saturday afternoon at the family home, 102 Canton street, followed by interment in Oakland cemetery. Rev. Nore Gustafson, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, conducted the rites, during which T/5 and Mrs. F. Everett Borg sang two hymns, "In the Garden" and "The Old Rugged Cross". Acting as bearers were Glenn Baird, Fred Healy, Frank Carlson, William Smith, Harold Johnson and Kermit Vicander.

Present from away were T/5 and Mrs. F. Everett Borg, Fort Belvoir, Va.; Capt. Paul Borg, Miami, Fla.; Pvt. Marion Gott, Chanute Field, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Gunner Swanson, Jamestown, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Vicander, Mrs. Marjorie Horner, Mrs. Carolyn Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Newgreen, Donna Horner, Youngsville; Pvt. Charles Horner, Fort Meade, Md.

ELIZABETH SCHMIDEL  
Mrs. Elizabeth Schmiedel, formerly of Ridgway, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Yonkie, 14 West Wayne street, last evening. She was born July 17, 1865, in Germany and came to this country at the age of seven years. She had been afflicted with the Evangelical Lutheran church at Ridgway for 69 years. She was the widow of Ferdinand Schmiedel and

## Paper Collection is Second Largest in County's History

According to a report issued this morning by W. T. Corbett, County Salvage Chairman, the recent paper collection was the second largest in the history of Warren County's war effort. Warren borough and Glade Township yielded a total of 66,000 pounds or 33 net tons, all of which was sorted and tied in good shape.

A faithful corps of volunteer workers did the job, including trucks and men from Warren Borough, Warren Disposal, and Valentine Disposal. The Salvation Army also furnished a truck, and men were supplied by the Pennsylvania Electric Company, the Warren Water Company, and the Warren County Commissioners, as well as Mr. Hart Willey and Mr. Raymond Dickinson. The volume of paper was so large that one truck worked until after 7:00 p. m., while borough trucks were compelled to complete the job on Thursday morning.

Youngsville collected 14,000 pounds, or 7 tons, under the energetic direction of Elton D. Barton, Chairman, and his co-workers. Russell collected 4,000 pounds through the schools and the Boy Scout Organization. There are many schools throughout the county yet to be heard from.

As the final details of the paper drive are being wound up, Warren county is preparing for its second big 1945 salvage effort, the collection of processed tin cans to be held Wednesday, January 17, throughout the county. It is hoped that no less than a full carload of cans will be secured.

had spent the past five years here with her daughter.

Others surviving her are three daughters and a son: Mrs. Amelia McMacken, Shawmut; Mrs. Irene Crate, in Arkansas; Mrs. Dan Mitchell, Erie, and Rudolph Schmiedel, Warren; also one brother, G. W. Hetrick, Grafton, W. Va.; 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at the Lutz Funeral Home at the usual hours prior to nine o'clock Tuesday evening. Funeral services will be held at the Evangelical Lutheran church in Ridgway at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday, with interment at Brandycamp.

MRS. LILLIAN SHINE  
The funeral of Mrs. Lillian Shine, formerly of Kinzua, who died at Hyattsville, Md., were held at the Holy Redeemer church at 11 o'clock this morning, with Father M. E. Dailey celebrating the requiem high mass. Bearers for interment in St. Joseph's cemetery were Marvin Wilcox, Bruce Bennett, Richard Hedman, J. S. Pees, George Valentine and George Hesch, Jr.

Present from out of town were Marvin Wilcox, Kinzua; Lt. Bernice Shine, Jackson, Miss.; Miss Lillian Shine, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. S. A. Saffer, Pittsburgh; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Shine, Oil City; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shine, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Mrs. Etta Chester, Clyde Himebaugh, Kinzua.

## IN LOVING MEMORY

Of our father and grandfather, Lewis Van Ord who passed away one year ago today, Jan. 15. This is the day we travel back. Over the past lonely year. When you were with us here There is someone who misses you sadly. And finds the time long since you went. There is someone who thinks of you always. And tries to be brave and content.

Sons, Daughters and Grandchildren.  
1-15-1\*

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our many relatives, friends and neighbors for their kindness and floral offerings during our recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Isaacson and Family.  
1-15-1t.

## NOTICE—LEGION MEMBERS

All Past Commanders and members of Chief Conplanter Post, American Legion, are requested to meet at the Lutz funeral home this evening at 7:30 o'clock to pay final tribute to our later Comrade Kenneth W. Davis.

By Order of  
Commander Harry Nelson  
1-15-1t.

## NOTICE

CITIZENS COMMITTEE  
All persons who have been in any way associated with the Warren Citizens' Committee are requested to meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Lutz funeral home to pay respects to "Kay" W. Davis, whose death occurred Sunday at his home.

Chairman.  
1-15-1\*

## Times Topics

TO ATTEND FUNERAL  
Members of the American Legion Auxiliary are asked to meet at 3 p. m. Tuesday at the First Presbyterian church to attend the funeral of Kenneth W. Davis.

## TO RESCUE DOG

A telephone call to the Central Fire station shortly before 11 o'clock sent the emergency truck to a point opposite the old Cone-wago Refinery where a dog was marooned on an island. The firemen responded and succeeded in taking off the animal.

## NAMED FOR COUNTY

In line with the plan of the U. S. Navy to name Transports and cargo ships for counties in the various state Pennsylvania counties, among them Warren county has been so honored. Some of the vessels have already been engaged in important operations. They are usually used in landing operations supporting amphibious actions. Other counties for which ships have been named are: Cambria, Clinton, Westmoreland, Venango, Wayne, Montour, Somerset and others.

## Personal Paragraphs

M. R. Papavero left Sheffield this morning for Harrisburg where tomorrow he will witness Auditor General F. Clair Ross receive the oath of office for Superior Court Justice. A dinner honoring Mr. Ross will be given at that place in the evening by his employees.

L. J. Reed received word Sunday of the death of his brother, E. C. Reed, at St. Petersburg, Fla. Mr. Reed had been ill for some time and he was well known in this city having at various times visited his brothers, I. A. Reed and Harry A. Reed in Warren.

Clementine Carrier, 102 Pennsylvania avenue, west, who slipped on the ice and fell from the porch at her home on Saturday was x-rayed at Warren General Hospital and a splint applied when it was found she had fractured her right arm.

Miss Jo Russo has returned after spending the past week in Pittsburgh.

State Senator L. E. Chapman and Assemblyman Allen Gibson left last evening for Harrisburg where they will attend the session of the State Legislature which opens today. State Senator Chapman has had a bill prepared authorizing an appropriation of \$100,000 for the formation of a hospital and research laboratory for cancer treatment and research. It will be introduced soon into the Legislature.

Miss Mary Alice Conklin, a teacher in the Cranberry Township High School, Venango county spent the weekend in the city the guest of her mother, Mrs. Florence Conklin, Poplar street.

Breech loading rifles were first used in the Revolutionary War, but not by American troops.

The United States had three presidents in one month, Martin Van Buren, William Henry Harrison and John Tyler.

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**Grange News**

PLEASANT UNIT HAS INSTALLATION

At the installation meeting of Pleasant Grange Thursday evening, Merle Schweitzer and his staff of Diamond Grange installed the following officers: master, Glenn Kiser; overseer, Madeline Peterson; lecturer, Mrs. Chapman; steward, Mary King; assistant steward, Herman Wert; chaplain, Stella Saylor; treasurer, Mary Owens; secretary, Gladys Schwab; gatekeeper, Roscoe Knapp; Ceres, Mary Glenn; Pomona, Pauline Wentz; Flora, Helen Schumann; lady assistant steward, Victoria Wert; executive committee member, Walter Schumann.

At the close of the business meeting, a social hour was enjoyed with a tureen luncheon.

**DIAMOND GRANGE**

Members of Diamond Grange will meet tomorrow night at eight o'clock, with initiations in the first and second degrees. Lunch will be served by the committee, but everyone is asked to bring his own sugar.

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The same flat, Polish plains that made invasion of Poland so easy for Hitler's mechanized hordes in 1939 now stand as a threat to Berlin. Map above also shows how all transportation routes converge on the German capital.



The German bulge in Belgium is shrinking fast as Von Rundstedt's forces withdraw under steady Allied hammering. Dotted line shows farthest penetration; heavy line, approximate front now.

## 'Slip' King Performs Errand of Mercy With Plane Saturday

Gust Lawson, a resident of the Fox Hill District in Pine Grove Township was transported from his home to the Warren Airport by an airplane furnished by King Air Service and piloted by V. S. (Slip) King, about 11 o'clock Saturday morning and removed from the airport to the Warren General Hospital by the Lutz Ambulance.

On Friday morning neighbors of Mr. Lawson reported to Judge Allison D. Wade that the roads leading from the Lawson home to Russell were blocked with snow, and Mr. Lawson was seriously ill and in great need of medical attention and hospitalization. The problem of transporting the sick man to the hospital appeared desperate since the roads were impassable and the only access to the spot where the sick man lay was by foot through deep snow drifts. Judge Wade then got in touch with Civil Air Patrol and it was learned that the house was located adjacent to a large field and the possibility of landing an aircraft on the field was considered.

Local Officers of Civil Air Patrol then contacted Mr. King, manager of the Warren Airport, presented the problem to him and Mr. King and his son LeGrande made a flight to the location of the Lawson home on Friday afternoon, despite the fact that the visibility conditions were not of the best and the snow on the fields was wet from the thaw. A landing was made and it was decided that the sick man could be safely transported early Saturday if the weather held and the temperature dropped. Accordingly Saturday morning, after securing approval of the physician in charge and the family and after arrangements had been made for the preparation of the patient for a trip to the hospital by air, V. S. King and his son LeGrande made the flight to Fox Hill and the patient was placed in the plane and returned to the Warren Airport where the plane was met by the

Lutz Ambulance and the patient transferred to the Ambulance and removed to the Warren General Hospital. A second trip was then made by Mr. King to Fox Hill to pick up his son who was left behind when Mr. Lawson was placed in the airplane.

The skill of the pilot is to be commended and Warren is to be congratulated in having aerial equipment at hand and a skilled pilot to operate it in such an emergency. Mr. Lawson is reported as resting comfortably none the worse for his experience.

Erie, Jan. 15.—(P)—Louis Raub and his ski-equipped plane went on a third mission of mercy Saturday and brought three-year old Alex Slipcevic to the hospital from his snowbound home in Harbor Creek. The child, who suffered an ear abscess following an attack of scarlet fever, was reported in good condition at Farrow Osteopathic Hospital today.

Raub, an amateur pilot, brought Joyce Chidester, 2, also of Harbor Creek, to the hospital Thursday for an emergency appendectomy. Officials at Hamot Hospital said she was improving steadily today. Last week, Raub flew another child into Erie for treatment of an infected finger.

The 400 army men battling Erie county's snow continued their efforts to release the \$3,000,000 worth of storm-locked war materials.

First worsted mill in Bradford, England, was erected nearly 150 years ago.

### National Forest Timber For Sale

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor at Warren, Pa., up to 2:00 p. m. January 23, 1945 for all the live white ash timber marked or designated for cutting and all the merchantable dead white ash timber located on area embracing 120 acres in Warrants 1009 and 1010, Pleasant Township, Warren County, Pa. on the watersheds of Grunder Run and Allegheny River, Allegheny National Forest, Pa., estimated to be 35 M board feet, more or less. No bid will be considered of less than \$38.00 per M bd. ft. One thousand dollars (\$1000.00) must be submitted with each bid to be applied to the purchase price, refunded or retained in part as liquidated damages according to conditions of the sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Before any bids are submitted, a prospective bidder should examine the system of marking on the sale area. Full information concerning the timber, conditions of sale and submission of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor at Warren, Pa. or from the District Ranger at Sheffield, Pa. The District Ranger will arrange to show this timber to interested parties.

**ADMINISTRATION NOTICE**  
Letters Testametary on the Estate of Charles L. Henry, late of the Borough of Youngsville, Warren County, Pa., deceased, having been this day granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them to the undersigned, properly authenticated for settlement.  
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## Chicago Bus Ditched By Truck Wreck

Due to an accident to a large trailer truck Saturday afternoon near the railroad crossing west of the city near old F.N. tower the Chicago bus on the Greyhound line was ditched. The truck owned by W. Chatterton Company, of Sharon and driven by Sam S. Fair, of Sharon jack-knifed between the New York Central and Pennsylvania tracks when the driver applied brakes. The big machine was loaded with three inch pipe making a heavy load. The truck endeavored to pass the wrecked truck and skidded into a ditch. None of the passengers were hurt and after trucks had pulled the bus onto the highway the passengers climbed aboard and the machine continued. State police took charge of the situation and directed traffic for some time. Wrecker crews finally got the big trailer truck into position and the driver continued east with his load. Little damage was done to either the trailer truck or the big bus. Traffic was snarled for a time but soon moved under direction of the police.

## Scouters Will Hear Speaker of Prominence

Judson G. Jussell, Deputy Regional Scout Executive, will be the principal speaker of the annual meeting of the Warren County Council when it convenes tonight at the North Warren Community House. The annual dinner meeting is scheduled to get under way at 6:30 p. m., according to Dr. Leonard Rosenzweig, chairman of the annual meeting program committee. It is expected that the meeting will attract a large audience of Scouters and friends of Scouting.

Mr. Jussell became Deputy Regional Executive on November 1st, last year, having served as Field Scout Executive in Akron, Ohio, from 1932 to 1940, and Scout Executive at Springfield, Illinois from 1940 to November 1944.

He was born in Akron in January 1908. He came up through the ranks of Scouting to the rank of Eagle Scout, has served as Assistant Scoutmaster, Scoutmaster, and Senior Scout Leader. A graduate of Akron University where he majored in Physical Education, earning a B. E. degree. In college he particularly prepared himself for a professional career in Scouting. A graduate of the 31st National Training School for Scout Executives. He is an active church worker, as well as other worthy community activities. He is a father of three boys.

During 1929 and 1930, Mr. Jussell travelled extensively through the Philippines, China, and Japan. Many local Scouters will remember Mr. Jussell as the leader of the group of Akron Senior Scouts which used to hike through the Allegheny National Forest each summer starting from Sheffield.

It is expected that he will have a message of interest and importance for the Scouters assembly this evening.

## Dry Cleaning Plant Damaged By Brief Blaze

An alarm of fire Friday evening called the department to the dry cleaning plants of the Willis Dry Cleaning plant on Pennsylvania avenue, west. The fire broke out in a quick run and soon had the fire which was among a quantity of clothing hung on racks quenched. The loss is estimated by the Chief of the Fire Department at about \$2000.

Just how the fire originated is problematical. Employees of the dry cleaning concern feel that it was due to a short in an electric wire. Firemen however are inclined to think that the fire came from a spark from a cigarette. The clothing which was destroyed or damaged had just been cleaned and hung on hangers preparatory to pressing.

In an effort to prevent a halt or delay in the work of the company repairs are under way at the plant today.

## UNCLE SAM TO HAND OUT 32,000,000 EXTRA RED POINTS

The greatest windfall of extra red points ever is going this month, and each month following, to American housewives throughout the country.

32 million extra red points, approximately, will be handed out by meat dealers to customers who turn in used fats in a great Victory drive for this essential of medicines, gunpowder, synthetic rubber, soaps, paints and a hundred other necessities on the battlefield and home front. For each pound of fats turned in, every housewife is entitled to 2 red points.

The need for used fats is still urgent. Women are urged to save every drop, every spoonful of grease possible and keep saving until final Victory over both Germany and Japan.

**YOUR WASTE PAPER MAKES BOMB BANDS —KEEPS ADOLF AWAKE**



## G. I. Johnny does some Post-War Planning

Battle-zone shaves are apt to be rough and tough, so don't frown down the wishful thinking of this stubble-chinned private as he used the cold-water, scrape-and-pull method.

He's thinking now of the civilized comforts of his own Home of Tomorrow and the magical conveniences that will be his from that little blue economy-flame,—GAS!

High up on the list of his dreams-to-come-true is that happy time when hot-water will speed his "once-over-lightly" . . . when hot tub-soaks will revitalize tired nerves and muscles . . . when K. P. will be but a memory . . . and a clean shirt will not be an event.

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## WACS Needed in Medical Field of United States Army

Stressing the need for women to serve in the medical field of the Army, in line with the tenor of the recent message of the President of the United States, Lt. Colonel Jack B. Dunn, Commanding Officer of WAC Recruiting in the Third Service Command, last week personally addressed a conference in Pittsburgh attended by all WAC recruiting personnel in western Pennsylvania. Women who join the WAC and enter the Medical Department of the Army will have the opportunity to serve either in hospitals caring for our battle casualties in this country and abroad, or in the rehabilitation centers maintained for our soldiers returned from overseas.

The newly enlisted Wac, upon reporting for active duty approximately three weeks after she takes the oath of service, will receive six weeks of basic training either at Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., or at Ft. Des Moines, Iowa. Then, if she is to work in the Medical Department, she will receive three months of schooling in the theories involved in her work and in actual hospital duty. This education could well become the foundation for a career after the war. Her training will be of a highly technical nature, equivalent to civilian schooling which would normally cost about \$1000. Upon graduation she will be assigned to an Army hospital. There she will be a technician and take her place in the laboratory, the surgical room, the X-ray room, the dental clinic, the physiotherapy department, or the ward.

Wacs with the Medical Department operate X-ray equipment, perform basal metabolism tests, type and cross-match blood, do research work, shape artificial limbs, keep medical records, instruct patients, and perform scores of other duties. They not only work with the equipment and drugs of the hospital, but they also restore self-confidence to the wounded and disabled soldiers and broaden their horizons. Medical service is a humane art and one that all women understand instinctively.

Requirements for enlistment are

result only in a "nominal increase" in the weighed average rates and relating all job rates to a \$1.10 or \$1.11 an hour rate for the first-class linemen instead of the \$1.185 as provided for in the original plan submitted to the board.

The board majority explained that a study of wage rates in other public utility firms revealed that the present \$1,107 paid by the Philadelphia Electric Co. for first-class linemen compared favorably with the rates paid by similar

companies in the area for the same job. On the basis of the study, the board found that no general increase was warranted under the National Wage Stabilization.

Owing to the air resistance, it takes about 19 seconds for a bomb to reach the earth when dropped from an airplane a mile high.

There are usually about 300 volumes in the library of a battle ship.

**Educator**

**HORIZONTAL**

- 1 Pictured
- 2 Native metal
- 3 On the ocean
- 4 Kind of fish
- 5 Before
- 6 Fix
- 7 Negative word
- 8 Require
- 9 Sets pace
- 10 Musical note
- 11 Toward
- 12 Weight (ab.)
- 13 Behold!
- 14 Literary composition
- 15 Eradicate
- 16 Within
- 17 Oleum (ab.)
- 18 Recreation areas
- 19 Grasp
- 20 Erbium (symbol)
- 21 Be quiet!
- 22 Aluminum (symbol)
- 23 Part of circle
- 24 Out of
- 25 (prefix)
- 26 Street (ab.)
- 27 Pro
- 28 Suffix
- 29 Operatic solo
- 30 Weight of

**VERTICAL**

- 1 Despire
- 2 Native metal
- 3 On the ocean
- 4 Kind of fish
- 5 Before
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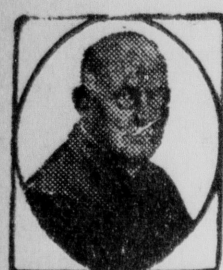
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#### FORGET THE UNPLEASANT PAST

"Doesn't it beat all how much misery people cause themselves and others by their persistence in holding on to mistakes made in the past?" asks Thomas Dreier in the current issue of a popular magazine. Why can't they remember the wise command: "Let the dead (past) bury their dead?"

There isn't anything of importance except the present. This moment is what matters. The eternal Now is our greatest asset. As one wise woman said to someone who had come to her for advice, "Only dogs dig up old bones they have buried—and the bones usually stink."

The same is true of past errors, sins, mistakes. Nothing can be done about them. The wise man forgets them as quickly as possible, taking along with him only the good lesson learned.

Many a home is wrecked, or at least filled with discord, because a husband or wife becomes enslaved by the unpleasant past. It is now and nothing else that has vitality. Throwing up memories of old wrongs is asinine. One might as well dig up poisonous roots and eat them. They could not be more deadly or destructive.

Take a fresh start today. The finest forgiveness is forgetting. Make the future a heaven by proper use of the present moment. The evil past is dead. Let it be buried and let it stay buried.

#### POSTWAR TRAVEL

In a recent advertisement one of our domestic airlines has published its postwar timetable of flights from San Francisco to Calcutta. In 1929 this airline, TWA, inaugurated the first transcontinental service using planes. The elapsed time of these runs (with train travel at night) was about 35 hours from New York to Los Angeles.

After the war, according to present plans, a TWA passenger will be able to go from San Francisco to Vienna or Milan in slightly less time than the New York-Los Angeles time of 16 years ago.

We think that's encouraging and pretty wonderful. And we would think that it was even more wonderful if someone could guarantee to us that mutual international cooperation, sympathy and respect would be increased in direct proportion to the increased speed of international travel.

#### TWO GREAT CRISES

As another week starts our global war has, perhaps more by design than by chance, reached two of its greatest crises simultaneously—the inauguration of the huge Allied squeeze on Hitlerdom, and the successful launching of the invasion of Luzon, key Philippine island.

The first of these operations represents the real beginning of the concerted Allied drive to administer the coup de grace to Germany. The second when successfully completed will have established the Allies on the essential base (Luzon) from which they can direct their combined might against Japan's ill-gained conquests and the Mikado's own domain.

DeWitt MacKenzie, Associated Press war analyst, says "just as a guess, the two might be completed about the same time." That is, the Pacific Allies may have conquered Luzon and be ready to begin the decisive offensive just as their European colleagues have made the "kill." Should this happen it would be a most gratifying development since it would release the vast Allied striking power in Europe for the launching of the all-out onslaught on Japan.

Seldom have we heard more sincere expressions of appreciation of any man than those uttered during the period of the critical illness and death of Kenneth W. Davis. In the passing of Kay Davis Warren has lost a valuable and loyal citizen. In his quiet and unassuming manner Kay occupied many key positions in community life. The many organizations and institutions of which he was a part have suffered a real loss. For few men have given as much of themselves as Kay Davis gave through the Citizens Committee, the public, the church and the institutional life of the community. He will be remembered as he was only a short time ago, a kindly, self-effacing, sincere man whose contributions to this community are a lasting monument to his fine life.

#### T-H-O-U-G-H-T-S

How long will ye vex my soul, and break me in pieces with words?—Job 19:2.

Words, as a Tartar's bow, do shoot back upon the understanding of the wisest, and mightily entangle and pervert the judgment.—Bacon.

#### Killing a Lot of Birds With One Stone



#### Washington In Wartime

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—The Capitol and the House and Senate office buildings got their spring house cleaning in December.

Congress has been so busy since Pearl Harbor that the men who shine the floors and paint the walls have had no opportunity to get the place really slicked up for years.

You might think that in the interim between the 78th and 79th Congresses, the Capitol and its attendant office building would be a dead place. Such has been far from true. Getting ready for a new Congress is a tough job any time, but when there's barely two weeks to put it over, it's almost a night and day chore.

Some ducks have to be moved out. Some, like Rep. Hamilton Fish, N. Y., on the House side, and Sen. Gerald P. Nye, N. D., on the Senate side, have been around for years and their accumulations of records, books and so forth, take tons of boxing.

Then, on a basis of seniority, holdover members have to be moved into the offices they prefer to the ones they have been sweating in. Patiently, and without offending any one, Custodian John J. Kearney of the Senate and Superintendent Edward Brown of the House have to explain to freshmen that they just can't walk in and have their choice of offices. Some times that's the first rude jolt that is handed new members. Delivering that jolt is often a headache to Messrs. Kearney and Brown.

They pretty well take it in their stride now, but it takes the kind of diplomacy that ought to make them eligible for mahogany desks

and gold plate cuspidors in the State Department.

THE trouble is you never can tell about members of Congress. Some feel, like painters, they can't work without a north light. Others, offered choice vacancies in the air-conditioned, streamlined new House office building, turn thumbs down and demand that they be allowed to stick under their high ceilings behind the old-fashioned woodwork and down-the-hall plumbing of the old House office building.

The men who know say this is especially true of the southerners. They say those high ceilings and un-air-cooled summer heat make the southerners feel more at home. They point to such veterans of the House as Carl Vinson of Georgia, Hattin Sumners of Texas, and Howard Smith of Virginia, who, by seniority rights, could have just about any offices they asked, but who are perfectly happy to do business at the old, old stands.

ASIDE from a bit of painting and refurbishing and much moving, there has been no chance this "vacation" to do any repairs that the Capitol really needs. Capitol Architect David Lynn wanders around the House and Senate chambers and moans constantly as he gazes at the unsightly steel rafters that still are shoring up the domes over those rooms. He's wondering now if he hadn't just better write the roof repairs of the North and South wings off as his No. 1 postwar project and forget about them.

The "air raid shelter" signs, are all being painted out. "What are you doing?" asked one would-be press gallery wit, "getting ready for the buzz-bombs?"

#### Hollywood Gossip

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD—Ray Milland is a happy man these days, not that you'd guess it from a quick look at him.

Ordinarily a fine figure of a fellow, he now goes about hollow-cheeked, bleary-eyed and unshaven. He reminds you of a guy who has been having a heavy wrestling bout with a bottle.

That's the impression he intends to give, for he's playing the role of Don Birnam, alcoholic hero of "The Lost Week-End."

ACTUALLY, the star has lost eight pounds since he began playing the biggest lush the screen has ever pictured. He says it has been the most fatiguing part of his career. The Birnam character dominates the story so completely that Milland has worked every day since shooting began. There will be less than 20 scenes in which he does not appear. And the job of registering the whole range of alcoholic moods from the heights of Olympian intoxication to the dark depths of the morning-after hang-over has been a real mental strain.

But Milland is happy despite his physical and psychic pains. That's because he is finding the Don Birnam part the most "interesting and challenging" he has ever done.

"A seriously dramatic study of a drunk has never been attempted

before by Hollywood for a whole picture," he explains. "Except for brief incidental characterizations movie drunks invariably have been tipsy toasts designed to give the cash customers a laugh. I never stagger in the picture."

Many of Milland's friends shook their heads dubiously when he accepted the role. They feared that he would be risking his future as a romantic star by playing a character with such a social stigma as chronic inebriation. "The fans will be shocked and unhappy at seeing you that way," they declared.

CHARLES BRACKETT, producer, and Billy Wilder, director, are making no concession to the happy-ending convention, and in the picture as in the book the hero remains unregenerate to the bitter finish.

But Milland, despite this, was unconvinced. He cited instances of other romantic screen figures who had played unpopular or highly censorable roles and yet had managed to retain their popularity. Fred MacMurray did in "Double Indemnity" as a murderer, and Robert Montgomery also played a killer in "Night Must Fall" without hurting his box-office rating.

"Bears," grins Ray Milland, "I have a seven-year contract with no options. I'm taking no big gamble whatever I do."

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#### YEARS AGO IN WARREN

Interesting Items Taken From The Warren Evening Times

1925

The State Armory should be packed to capacity when the Warren Tigers hold their first dancing party. Proceeds of the dance will go toward paying the debts incurred by the team during the past season.

The K. of C. will present to boxing fans a fine winter card at which time Tom Wallace will officiate the bouts. Promoter Dave Hughes says that some excellent fights will be featured.

Many Warren folks tre attending the annual Buffalo mid-winter automobile show. Practically all medium and high priced cars on exhibition have balloon tires and four-wheel brakes.

Eyes of the townspeople are turned on Harrisburg to await the decision as to whether or not two new roads will be built in Warren County. Should the links be built, the Roosevelt highway would provide Warren with an exceptional road.

1935

The Warren Dragons have reasons to be doubly happy following the Bradford game. They defeated the Owls 27-14 and managed to continue the streak set by former teams of securing a win on Coach Heinie Kolpien's birthday.

The Warren Public Library has offered a new service which will be of great help to parents. The library has installed a Parents Shelf.

Miss Mary Moore, secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian denomination, will be the guest speaker at a congregational supper to be held in the church.

Byron Knapp will direct the Players' Clubs' newest performance, "Bird In Hand." The play will be given under the auspices of the Warren Rotary Club, and proceeds will go to the Warren County Crippled Children.

#### Birthdays

TOMORROW'S BIRTHDAYS

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C. B. Hill  
H. L. Greenlund  
Merrell Jordan  
Edith L. Berkman  
Elizabeth B. Wolcott  
Dorothy C. Smith  
Ronald Rieder  
Felix Dobbs  
Alice Swanson Bramer  
Edward Hanson  
Lyle Chase  
Everett Hedges  
Thelma Bennett  
Ardith Lucille Nelson  
David Willard Harrington  
Fred Dase  
Araminta Belle Wingard  
Audrus R. S. Farnsworth  
Mrs. C. D. Williams  
Patricia Ann Bengtson  
Janice Dorsey

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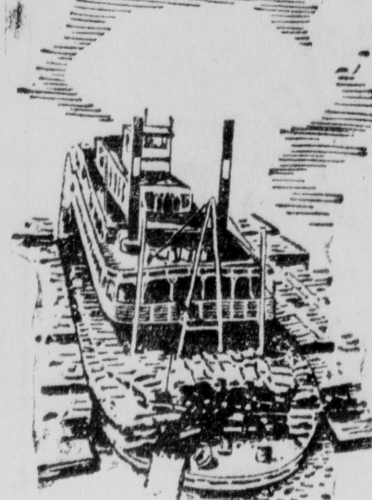
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U. S. Treasury Department

#### RADIO PROGRAMS

MONDAY, JANUARY 15

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT, 2 Hrs. for MWT. Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.

6:45—Front Page Farrell Serial—nbc  
Wilderness Road, Serial Drama—nbc  
Capt. Midnight, a Sketch—blue-east  
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—other blu  
Tom Mix Serial Series—mbs-basie  
6:00—News Report for 15 Mins.—nbc  
Quincy Howe and News—blue-east  
Walter Klerman & News—blue-east  
Repeat of the Terry Serial—blue-west  
Prayer, Comment on the War—mbs  
6:15—America's Serenade; Sports—nbc  
Lyn Murray Chorus; Orchestra—cba  
Repeat of From Dick—blue-west  
Chick Carter, a Boy Detective—mbs  
6:30—Sally Moore in Songs Show—cba  
Repeat of Tom Mix Serial—blue-west  
7:00—The Supper Club—blue-west  
Jack Kirkwood's Radio Show—cba  
Horace Heidt & His Orchestra—blue  
7:15—War News from the World—nbc  
Hedda Hopper from Hollywood—nbc  
To Be Announced (5 Mins.)—mbs  
7:30—Carolyn Gilbert and Songs—nbc  
Bob Hawk & Quiz Show—cba-basie  
Dancing Music Hall Foot—blue-east  
Lona Ranger, Drama of West—blue  
Buildup Drummond Adventures—mbs  
7:45—The Cavalcade of America—nbc  
8:00—The Cavalcade of America—nbc  
Vox Pop by Paris and Warren—cba  
8:15—Lum and Abner Serial Skit—blue  
Sunny Skyleser Song Serenade—mbs  
8:30—Howard Barrow & Concert—nbc  
Burns and Allen Comedy Show—cba  
Blind Date and Arlene Francis—blue  
Sherlock Holmes & Dr. Watson—mbs  
8:45—Five Minutes News Period—cba  
9:00—Voorhees and Comment—nbc  
Cecil B. De Mille Radio Theater—cba  
El Wynn and Comedy Show—blue  
Gabriel Heatter and Comment—mbs  
9:15—Dramas From Real Life—mbs  
9:30—Information Please, a Quiz—nbc  
Spotlight on the Arts—blue  
9:45—Five Minutes Story Teller—blue  
10:00—Contented Comment—nbc  
Screen Guild Players & Guest—blue  
Guy Lombardo and Orchestra—blue  
10:15—Paul Schubert in Comment—mbs  
10:30—Doc. I. Q. and Quiz Series—nbc  
Melody Comes From the Night—blue  
Dance Orchestra for 30 Mins.—mbs  
11:00—News for 15 Minutes—nbc-basie

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#### Stamp News

APPROXIMATELY a year ago, Paraguay changed its currency names and values from centavos and pesos to centimos and guarani with the guarani equal to 100 of the discarded pesos and 100 centimos equaling one guarani. A natural result of the change are six new stamps, part of a postage and airmail set that eventually will total 19 stamps, which have just been received in this country from the South American nation.

The stamps released thus far include three postage and three airmail values which portray scenes of significance in Paraguay's history. A one centimo black postage and a 70-cent red airmail portray a group of native Indians receiving instruction in computing the value of the guarani. An 1861-type locomotive used on Paraguay's first railroad is pictured on 5-cent olive green postage and 20-cent light brown airmail values.

A 50-cent gray postage stamp depicts the historic lane in Asuncion which was the starting point for the movement culminating in Paraguay's liberation while a Jesuit altar is pictured on a one guarani yellow airmail issue. The remaining stamps of the set also will portray historical scenes and characters and will be issued in the next few months.

SAMUEL F. B. MORSE, inventor of the telegraph, is honored by Peru with two stamps issued to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the first telegraph message last May 24. The 15-centavos blue and 30-cent gray stamps are identical in design, as illustrated here, with Morse's portrait the feature. The first message transmitted by telegraph, "What Hath God Wrought," appears beneath the telegraph wires in the background and an inscription at the bottom of the stamp reads "100th anniversary of the invention of the electric telegraph, May 24, 1844-1944."

Peru thus becomes the third nation to picture Morse on its stamps and the second to mark the centenary of telegraph com-

munication. Morse, of course, appears on a two-cent value of this country's 1940 "Famous Americans" series and also on a 3 plus 2-centavos semi-postal issued by Argentina last year as part of its postal employees benefit set. The United States also marked the 100th anniversary of the invention of the telegraph with a three-cent commemorative last May.

TWO Latin-American countries have overprinted old issues of airmail stamps. Costa Rica has overprinted "1944" on its one colon deep rose "Allegory of Flight" issue of 1934 (Scott's AP) while Haiti has re-issued its 60-centimes chocolate of 1940 (Scott's C8A) with an overprint of "0.10."

RECENT European news items which may have escaped the attention of collectors include a report from London that the Germans are using their V-bombs as carriers for "V-mail" letters from British prisoners of war. After one recent attack on northern England, a packet was found marked "V-mail" which contained three letters in photostat and the notation: "Finder is requested to cut out or copy the letters printed here and transmit them to the addressees so that they will receive them as early as possible. The original letters are being sent through the Red Cross in the usual mail channel." Collectors of covers or prisoner of war mail doubtless would be anxious to add such a letter to their collections.

—George A. Scott

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SUGAR GROVE

Sugar Grove, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Delmar Mickelson was hostess to the postponed meeting of the W. S. C. E. at her home Thursday afternoon. Sixteen members and three guests were present. Mrs. Mickelson presided at the meeting which opened with singing and prayer by Mrs. Carleton Foss. The group voted to accept the budget to be the same as last year and voted to give twenty-five dollars to the Crusade for Christ Service. Mrs. Frank Dorn was appointed to act on the union Day of Prayer Service. Mrs. John Mahan conducted the devotion on the subject "Behold I Have Set Before Thee An Open Door, a thought for the New Year." Mrs. Frank Conklin at the piano, Mrs. Stahlberg as soloist, and Mrs. Lewis Barlow taking part. Mrs. Roy Briggs had charge of the program on the subject "Open Doors with the members present taking part. The hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. Gerald Miller entertained the N. B. Club Thursday night with two tables of bridge being played, with Mrs. Burt Schoonover receiving high score. Mrs. Paul Getts was a guest.

Mrs. Stuart Anderson entertained the Bridge Club Monday night. Guests were Mrs. M. L. Johnson and Mrs. Delmar Mickelson. Mrs. Scott Stuart received high score for the evening. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Haggerty in serving refreshments. Mrs. Arthur Cody will entertain the next meeting.

The Womens Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet next Thursday afternoon with Mrs. M. L. Johnson and Mrs. Guy Summerson.

Some mushrooms are so delicate that they are to be found only between dawn and sunrise.

A soldier needs 306 pounds of meat in a year, but the average civilian needs only 172 pounds.

At one time bachelor was used to mean a novice or a person of inferior degree.

MP Finds Enemy Fire Is Less Trying Than a Pretty Girl in a Jeep, But Meet Situation

By NEA Service

With the 28th Infantry Division in Germany, Jan. 15.—That old jibe, "This place must be safe—the MPs are here," isn't used by front-line troops of this outfit nowadays. If some GI does make such a smug remark about the combat military police you can automatically peg him as a novice because he simply hasn't been around long enough to know what he's talking about.

A quick survey of the 28th's MP platoon will reveal to skeptics that combat MPs are not just traffic cops or killjoys who place "off limits" signs at the edge of towns. They're actually fighting soldiers and they can show you records to prove it. Some of them can show you Purple Hearts that weren't won back in the "rear areas."

When the first doughboys of this



An MP combat team rounds up sacred horses in a French town. The animals bolted when the roar of Yank armored vehicles racing through the town frightened them. Trained to shift for themselves, MPs face front-line dangers in addition to such police problems as traffic control.

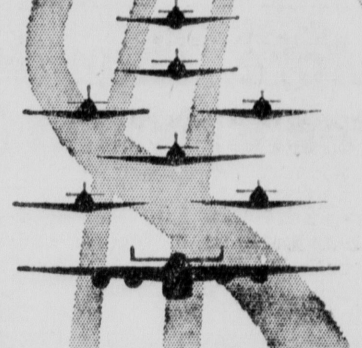
division fought their way into the outskirts of Percy, France, and deployed along the streets to search out snipers, seven MPs were waiting for them inside the town. The MPs had moved into Percy to control traffic only to find that the traffic hadn't caught up with them yet. So they helped the infantrymen round up the remaining snipers before settling down to policing traffic.

Near Florenceville, Belgium, three MPs were assigned to work with a task force. Their jeep was third in the column, the first being a light tank. As they were moving down a road a Jerry anti-tank gun let loose and knocked out the light tank. The MPs jumped from their jeep and ran into the bush at the edge of the road. The situation was relayed back to our artillery, which quickly knocked out the anti-tank gun.

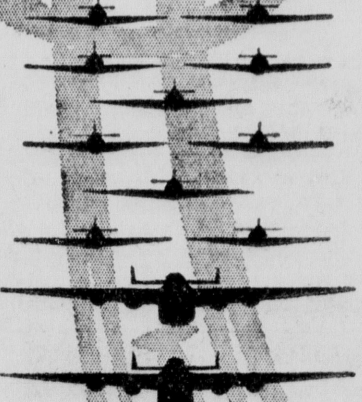
At Gathemo, France, Pvt. Harry Rowe, Paroisse, Pa., was at a traffic control post about 300 yards behind the main line of resistance. He had been on duty only a few minutes and hadn't had time to dig a slit trench. Suddenly the Jerries opened up with 88 mm. fire. The first shell burst about 25 yards away. Rowe dashed to the shell hole and jumped in. Another shell hit about 30 yards to his left. He sprinted to that hole and hit the bottom. Asked later why he hadn't shuttled from hole to hole he said, "I've always heard that shells never hit twice in the same place."

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By V. T. HAMLI

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YES, HIGHNESS, THE MOOVIAN KING RECEIVED YOUR INVITATION, BUT SEEMS RELUCTANT TO ACCEPT!

YEAH, HE'S A CAUTIOUS OL' BIRD, BUT DON'T WORRY, HE'LL COME!

YES, I BELIEVE EVERYTHING HE'S SAYING, BUT COMING FOR HIS NOW! RECEPTION?

YES!

I JUST CAN'T HARDLY WAIT T'SEE TH' LOOK ON OL' GUZ'S PAN WHEN HE BARGES IN HERE!

BOYBOY! IS HE GONNA BE SURPRISED, I BETCHA!

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LT. JANE ARMY NURSE GETS A LETTER FROM A FRIEND

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Amy

**Young Doctor Merry**

by PEGGY GADDIS

AP Newsfeatures

Chapter 22

IT was almost lunchtime when Meredith got back to her office. As she opened the door a man turned to face her.

"Mornin', Dr. Merry," Dan Lacey greeted her. "I've been waiting quite a spell for you."

"I'm sorry, Mr. Lacey—but since I have only just got back to town, and am leaving again this afternoon, I am not holding office hours. If you'll go out to the hospital," Dan Lacey's gesture silenced Meredith.

"It's not my health that's worrying me," said Dan. "I stopped in here to see you about this—hocus-pocus you're trying to work on Percy Butler."

"I'm sorry it isn't a hocus-pocus, Mr. Lacey," said Meredith. "Jerry's a very sick boy."

"You needn't pull that on me, Dr. Merry. It won't go over," said Dan grimly. "Funny thing, I knew that husband of yours was pretty fond of himself and convinced of his own importance. But I never knew that you'd use your medical profession to help him. Seems a little funny a man with Hugh Prather's money would be so interested in getting to be boss of a little town like River Gap—unless he had a lot to cover up."

Meredith flashed, "What do you mean by that?"

"We-e-ell, of course I don't believe it myself," drawled Dan Lacey in his most irritating, insolent manner, "but there are people around town that are sort of inclined to believe that Prather's the fellow backing the moonshiners and running the taverns he gets so hot up about!"

MEREDITH set her teeth and drew her breath. If she told Dan the truth, he would broadcast it far and wide. No, she couldn't tell Dan!

Dan caught up his coonskin cap with the earmuffs, and said menacingly, "Well, I guess you're going to be able to get away with carting Jerry away. I hear you're going with Jerry. That's right smart of you, Dr. Merry. You'll miss the unpleasantness here at home. Be a good thing if you'd take your husband with you, be-

cause I'm telling you now, he's never going to be elected in this town—not after this thing you're doing."

Meredith buried her head in her hands after he left. They would have to grin and bear it, she decided.

It had been decided that Jerry's departure was to be made as unobtrusive as possible. No one from the hospital was to see them off. She knew that Captain Gordon had had a long talk with Jerry earlier in the morning, but Jerry was white-faced, grim-eyed, and hostile as he got into the car where Hugh waited to drive them to the station.

On the platform, a few minutes before the train was due, they stood awkwardly. Jerry with his hands sunk deeply into his pockets, his bitter young eyes on the track down which the train would come thundering.

There was a terrific clattering of chains on the icy road as a battered old truck slammed its way up to the platform, and a girl, hatless, wrapped in a racoon coat, a scarf tied over her tumbled black curls, her face so white that her dark eyes looked enormous in that pallor, tumbled out of the battered car.

Isabel had eyes for no one save Jerry, and as she ran towards him, her hands outflung, she called his name in a voice shaken with shock and fear. "Jerry! Oh, Jerry, dear—what is this crazy thing you're doing? You were going away—and not even telling me!"

"Sorry, Isabel," he said in a low voice. "I thought it was better this way."

ISABEL, hurt and bewildered, frantic because the first sound of the approaching train was heard down the road, stammered, "Dad called me a little while ago and said you were going. I didn't have any way to get in town, and the road was so icy I was afraid to try to drive home. I started to walk and I knew I'd never make it, but I just had to try—and then Mr. Stevens came by with that old Ford of his."

She clung to his arm. "Jerry," she cried out raggedly. "What is it? Jerry? Tell me! You can't just

chance; but he's got to fight for it. And that's why he won't do it. It's what we've got to make him do!"

"I see," said Meredith and was silent for a moment, while an idea was beginning to form. "Major Heard, back home in River Gap there is a girl who adores him, a girl he hoped to marry this spring. That's one reason why this hit him so hard. I know we can't bring her here—that it's out of the question. But if, some way, we could get a message from her to him—if he could hear her voice—"

"You mean telephone?" asked Major Heard swiftly. Meredith hesitated.

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"Under the circumstances, Dr. Blake," he admitted frankly, "I can understand the boy's attitude. Yet what we can't seem to make him realize is that he is definitely blocking his own recovery. He's offering us no defiance whatever; he is submitting to whatever is done—but there's no cooperation. And of course we both know that cooperation is more than half the battle. If we could get him into a brisk, hopeful mood, I feel sure that he would respond to the treatment with a much better chance of a complete recovery."

"He's had a rough time of it," Major, admitted Meredith. "He is quite sure that he will never be well again, and there's no way I can convince him."

"Major Heard," the words burst from Meredith almost against her will, because she had wanted to put them, and had been afraid of the answer, and had quailed, coward-like, against hearing the answer. "Will he get well?"

MAJOR HEARD hesitated. His strong, powerful-looking hand with its deft, sensitive fingers that could work such magic with broken, fever-wracked bodies, moved out to a paper on his desk and pushed it a little to one side. He avoided her eyes.

"Frankly, Dr. Blake—I don't know," he admitted. "He's got a

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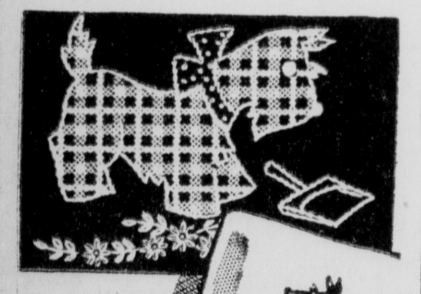
## P. T. A. News

**CLARENDON UNIT**  
The Clarendon PTA, which met last Thursday evening, was in charge of the vice-president, C. C. Burch, in the absence of the president, Don Miller. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Miss Mary Firth. Miss Bertha Nelson's report on the Clara Tree Major play attendance was given. After the close of the business meeting, a film on railroads was shown.

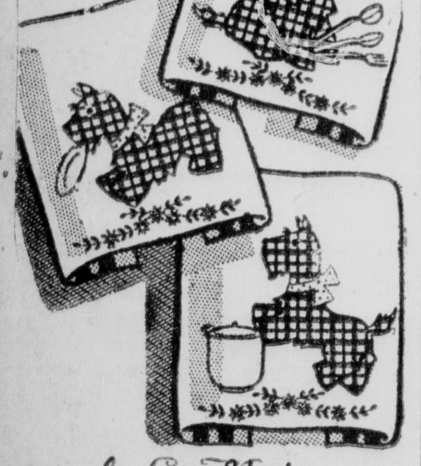
**IRVINGDALE UNIT**  
Members of the Irvingdale P. T. A. will meet at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening. A large attendance is hoped for.

**WASHINGTON UNIT**  
Rev. L. V. Mohrner, pastor of Tiona Methodist church, will be guest speaker for the January meeting of Washington PTA, to be held at the Washington school at 8 p. m. Wednesday. Music will be

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provided by Mrs. Clara Nielsen and Miss Joyce Barnes, of Clarendon, and all interested are cordially invited.

## EAST STREET UNIT

The first regular meeting of the new East street PTA will be held Monday evening, November 29, at 8 p. m., with election of officers and a program in charge of Mrs. Franklin Hoff. She will present Olive A. Huff in a talk on "Community Recreation and You" and Mrs. Nestore Bartholomew will sing, accompanied by Jackson Barrell.

## IRVINGDALE UNIT

The January meeting of Irvingdale PTA will be held at the school at 8:15 p. m. Tuesday.

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In the first second if its descent a falling body travels 16 feet.

## SOCIETY NEWS

### DAR Membership Entertained With Fine Book Review

The January meeting of General Joseph Warren Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held Thursday afternoon at the YWCA activities building. The regent, Mrs. Leon Laskaris, presided during the business session, when several important items of business were transacted. An out of town guest was Mrs. Nettie Brown, past regent of Colonel Crawford Chapter, Meadville. The program chairman, Mrs. Warren R. Carlin, introduced the guest speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. Brackett Ayers, who reviewed the book "The Way Our People Lived" by W. E. Woodward. The book is a continuous history of living in our country over a period of 300 years, is written in fictional form and is very entertaining. Miss Harriet B. Eaton and Mrs. Carlin presided at the tea table, which was centered with crystal candelabra holding red, white and blue candles. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. C. P. DeLong, chairman; Mrs. S. D. Blackman, Mrs. Carl, Miss Edna, Mrs. Fred Lesser, Mrs. A. N. McCausland, Mrs. P. W. M. Pressel and Mrs. Harold Wickstrom.

### Arthur Andersons Given Surprise to Mark Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Anderson were pleasantly surprised last Friday evening when friends gathered at their home to help them celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. They received a beautiful gift of flowers from Elmer Danielson, the latter's nephew, who is serving with the armed forces on the western front. At a late hour refreshments were served and the honored guests were presented with a purse of money from the following: Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wessman, Joanne, Joyce and George Wessman, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Haglund, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shellin, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blick, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Danielson, Dudley and Freddie Danielson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Danielson, Mrs. Jennie Danielson, Mrs. C. O. Swanson, Miss Ellen Swanson, Miss Janet Ahlgren, Mrs. Pearl Backstrom, Mrs. Myron Rydholm, Miss Florence Danielson, Miss Lois Gustafson and Miss Rachel Anderson.

### Military Rites Of Interest Here

Miss Lucile Haupt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Haupt, of Bloomfield, N. J., became the bride of Private Richard G. Lamborn, U. S. A. A. E., son of Mrs. Bayard T. Lamborn, of Bloomfield, N. J., at a ceremony which took place at 5:30 p. m., January 3, 1945 at the post chapel at Lowry Field, Denver, Colorado, the Baptist chaplain, Captain W. A. Jackson, officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her father, and Mrs. Leo Ostlick of Wichita, Kan., was matron of honor. Sergeant Leo Ostlick acted as best man. The bride was graduated from Bloomfield High School and Cornell University, and Sgt. Lamborn was also graduated at Bloomfield High School and attended Newark College of Engineering and the University of Illinois. Both were employed at the Curtis Wright Corporation at Caldwell before Sgt. Lamborn entered the service. He is now studying aerial photography. The couple will reside in Denver until his training at that station is completed.

## BIRTHS

Visiting Hours:  
2:30 to 3:30-7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

**At Clarendon**  
Pvt. and Mrs. Robert Rhoades are the parents of an eight-pound son born January 14 at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Cora Wilbur, at Clarendon. The baby has been given the name of Dewey Harold.

**In California**  
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. L. Weakley, Second Avenue, have received word of the birth of their first grandchild, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Tummons, of Redondo Beach, Calif., on January 9.

Since the flavor of spice depends on the oil it contains it is best kept in a tight container away from light and heat.

## WOMEN IN '40's Are You Embarrassed By HOT FLASHES?

If you, like so many women, between the ages of 38 and 52—suffer from hot flashes, nervous tension, irritability, are a bit blue at times—due to the functional middle age period peculiar to women—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. For almost a century thousands upon thousands of women—rich and poor alike—have reported remarkable benefits. Many wise women take Pinkham's Compound regularly to help build up resistance against such annoying distress. Lydia Pinkham's Compound helps nature. It also has what Doctors call a stomachic tonic effect. Follow label directions. Worth trying!

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## Social Events

### QUAINTANCE CLASS HAS FINE MEETING

Mrs. James A. Davidson and her mother, Mrs. Peter Beck, Fifth Avenue, entertained 32 members of the First Baptist Quaintance Class on Friday evening. President Geo. Spinney conducted the meeting, when the treasurer, Mrs. Elton Waite, reported a substantial balance in the treasury at the end of the year. Mrs. Earl Wright was appointed by the president to act as chairman for the February birthday party for all church members, proceeds of which will be used for church expenditures. Mrs. Earl Burbee was named chairman of the next bake sale. Impressive devotions had been prepared by Robert Carlson and after this prayer service, Ralph Owens was accompanied by Mrs. Clarence Swanson for singing "I Had a Little Talk With the Lord". Group singing of hymns continued the program until the social committee announced a buffet had been prepared to conclude a very pleasant evening. On the committee were Mr. and Mrs. John Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. William Lemmon and Mrs. H. Forsgren.

### WEDDING IN OHIO OF INTEREST HERE

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sutley, of Greenville, announce the marriage of their daughter, Alice Isabelle Sutley, to Rodney Frank Allen, machinist's mate third class, of Meadville. The ceremony took place at Warren, O., on December 30 and the couple left for Corpus Christi, Texas, where the bridegroom is stationed. The Sutleys were former residents of Warren, the bride graduating from the local high school with the Class of 1935. Since then she attended Allegheny College at Meadville and spent two years working as accountant at the Ravenna Ordnance plant near Warren, O. Just recently she returned from Hollywood, Calif., where she had been employed.

### STUDENT RECITAL AT CONSERVATORY

Feature selections for the regular student recital at the Conservatory of Music on Saturday evening were as follows: Saxophone solo, Ralph Brown; vocal solos, Ruth Campbell and Beverly Adams; flute solo, Dorothy Bosin. Regular pupils appearing were Julia Chevonis, Beverly Conboy, Geraldine Peterson, Jimmy Johnson, Dean Blair, Jack Schuler, Mabel Morse, Mary and Charles Hutchings. Accompanists for the evening were Adelaide Swanson and Byron Swanson.

### CLASSES JOIN FOR DINNER-MEETING

Spinster Class and Jefferson Men's Class members of First Presbyterian church will join for a twelve dinner-meeting at the church at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday. The new officers of the women's group comprise the committee and will provide dessert, rolls, butter, coffee and cream. Those attending are asked to bring turkeys and table service. The men's committee, arranging the program, have planned to present Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Cruickshank, of North Warren, as speakers.

### MISSIONARY GROUP

Mrs. Clarence Hepfinger was in charge of the program for the meeting of the United Brethren Missionary Society held Friday afternoon at the parsonage on Elm street, the following participating in the numbers presented: Mrs. Blanche Callahan, Mrs. Nellie Scheuer, Mrs. Nellie McWilliams, Mrs. L. E. Nason and Mrs. S. M. Caldwell, Mrs. R. H. Eggleston and her committee were responsible for the social hour and refreshments.

### LOCAL ARTIST HAS WORK IN EXHIBIT

It is learned from the Butler Art Institute in Youngstown, O., that the work of Gene Alden Walker (Mrs. C. J. Cray), of Warren and New York, is included among 279 oil paintings and watercolors being shown in its tenth annual New Year Show. Over 900 works were submitted to the show, which continues all this month.

### BETHESDA SOCIETY

Bethesda Society members will hold their regular meeting in St. Paul's Lutheran church at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, with the committee serving refreshments after the business session.

### BLUE STOCKING CLUB

Blue Stocking Club members will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at the home of Miss Mabel Signins, 315 Liberty street, with Miss Kate Winger as assisting hostess and Mrs. Brackett Ayers presenting the program.

### RANSOM CIRCLE

Ruth Ransom Circle members of Grace Methodist church will meet at 7:45 p. m. Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Carl Linberg, 126 Sixth Avenue, and each is reminded to bring an article for the "white elephant" sale.

### ELSIE ROSS CIRCLE

The Elsie Ross Circle of Grace Methodist church will meet in the Winger room at 7:45 p. m. Tuesday and all are urged to be in attendance.

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## State Represents Market Equal To All New England

Harrisburg, Jan. 15—A list of almost 200 major groups of products of which Pennsylvanians buy more than two billion dollars worth each year has been compiled by the State Department of Commerce. A digest in this list appears in direction of Secretary of Commerce the new booklet prepared under the Floyed Sheffart, which reviews the advantages which Pennsylvania offers to industries locating in this State. Of the products listed Pennsylvania makes about a billion dollars worth, the booklet points out. Continuing, it is asserted: "Pennsylvania, therefore, has the materials from which to make them, the proper economic conditions to make them at a profit and the home market for them. But there is a cool billion dollars worth of these products which are not now made in Pennsylvania. The way industry is being decentralized some one will make a large part of them here some day." Industrial executives are advised to "consider the wisdom of having a branch plant to make these products right here in the heart of this steady home market, close to the Eastern seaboard and near the tide-water gateway to the big foreign markets of the future."

"Pennsylvania itself is a bigger market than many whole nations. Pennsylvania's population of 10,000,000, with a peace-time spendable income of \$6,800,000,000, and a wartime income which has run as high as nine and one-half billions is one of America's great markets. This is a market equal to all of New England.

"With transportation a big factor in distribution costs, the wisdom of a general review of their plant locations by manufacturers with a view to taking best advantages of sources of supply, of power availability, of adequate labor, all within easy reach of the best markets, is today showing added profits to many companies who have already modernized in Pennsylvania."

## More Than Half of Land In Pennsylvania Is Still in Forests

Over half of the land area of Pennsylvania is in forests, says a report by the State Planning Board. According to a recent survey made from aerial photographs by the Allegheny Forest Experiment Station in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Department of Forests and Waters and the State Planning Board there are over 15 million acres of forests in Pennsylvania, or slightly over 52 per cent of the total land area in the State. This represents an increase of two million acres over previous estimates.

The amount of forest land in the separate counties in the State is significant as to future economic development. In Cameron County almost 93 per cent of the area is forested. Forest County has slightly over 90 per cent. Pike, Elk, McKean, Clinton, Sullivan, and Potter counties have over 80 per cent of their land in forests. One-half of the counties in the State have more than 50 per cent of their area in forest land. Only seven counties have less than 20 per cent.

Although once the leading lumber-producing state and despite this vast area of forest Pennsylvania now imports two-thirds of its lumber and half of the pulpwood for its paper industries.

Under proper management Pennsylvania forest land can balance our consumption needs and provide a surplus for export. One of our important postwar long-term jobs will be to bring this 52 per cent of the Commonwealth's area into its maximum production on a sustained yield basis.

## CHURCH NOTES

### UNION SERIES IS CONTINUING

The union revival services of United Brethren and First Evangelical churches, being held in the latter church, will continue this week, with services nightly except Saturday at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Roger Montague, evangelist, is assisted by his wife, piano accompanist and accordionist. All interested are welcome.

Last evening Mr. Montague preached a fine sermon on "Simplicity of the Christian Life" and sang his own special arrangement of the old familiar hymn, "The Ninety and Nine." The combined choirs of the two sponsoring churches sang "Come Unto Me". Among the guests were Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Kaebnick.

On Wednesday evening the oldest person present will be paid special recognition and on Friday,

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## Reid Escapes At Morganza Last Friday

Alvin Harry Reid, 18 year old youth who hailed from Kane and who was implicated with a number of other lads in the robbery of the Johnson Grocery and the Larason store on Pennsylvania avenue, east has escaped from the Morganza Reform School. Reid was sent there by the Warren county court after he had entered a plea before Judge Allison Wade.

Reid with other boys was placed under arrest for the robberies and while in jail here he escaped. He was tracked to Kane and thence to Idgway where he was found at the home of a relative.

Anyone securing any information relative to Reid or his whereabouts is asked to immediately contact Sheriff L. E. Linder at the Court House.

## Times Topics

### TEACHERS TO MEET

The Borough Teachers Association will meet at the High School Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

### CLASS OPENS TONIGHT

The tap dancing class for business girls will open this evening at the Williams School of Dancing. The first session will be held at 7 o'clock.

### BOWLERS WIN AT BRADFORD

The Warren Penelec bowling team rolled a return match with Bradford over the weekend taking four points. Del Henry had high total with 557, while Charniskey led for the Oilers with 490. Total scores were 2443 for Warren and 2285 for Bradford.

### BROUGHT TO JAIL

Robert C. Petty, of Youngsville arrested on a charge of passing a bouncing check at a local jewelry store was brought from the State Hospital to the county jail today. Petty after his arrest told a number of fantastic stories as an evident solution to a number of local crimes. Authorities finally concluded he should be placed in the State Hospital for observation.

### MADE CLEAN SWEEP

Sam Gerardi, who raises some fine rabbits made a clean sweep in the pens he displayed at the Jamestown Pet Show held last week. On New Zealand Whites he won First and Second on bucks and 2nd on doe. First on Junior Buck and 1st on Junior doe. On Flemish Giants he won first on 6/8 Sandy Doe and 2nd on Junior fawn doe. On Chequered he took first on a Junior buck and 2nd on Junior doe. He also had the best furred rabbit in the show. The championship buck had previously been shown in the New Jersey State meet.

## Social Events

### LOYALTY CLASS

The Loyalty Class of Grace Methodist church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Louella Hammerbeck, 22 Plum street, at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday.

### MEETING AT LANDER

Foster Cemetery Society members of Lander will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clara Burgett.

### GLADE FARM WOMEN

The Glade Farm Women's Society will meet Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock with Mrs. Dana Nuhfer, R. D. 1.

"Family Night", there will be a remembrance for the largest family group.

Everybody reads the Times-Mirror.

# HANG ON!



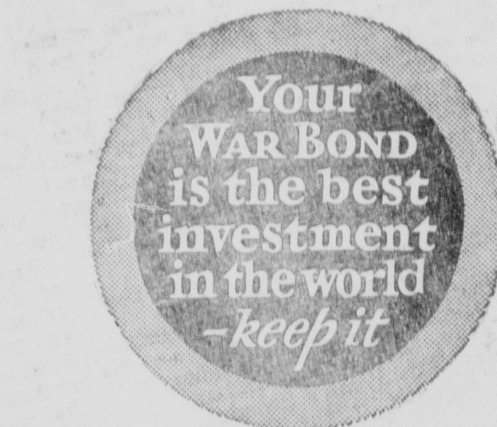
## AMERICA WON'T LET YOU DOWN

Blasted out of the sky in the battle for the Philippines, he waits in shark-infested waters—alone. Surely they'll send out rescue planes—surely they'll find him! Boy, what he wouldn't give for another crack at those Japs! For the chance to finish the fight.

He knows the war isn't over yet—not by a long shot. But do the folks back home know that, he wonders? Are they still working hard for victory—still buying bonds, and hanging onto the bonds they buy? Hang-

ing on for dear life, as he is now?

Ask yourself these questions before you tell him not to worry—that of course America won't let him down. Ask them again when you start to cash in a War Bond you don't absolutely need to redeem—when more and more equipment is needed to finish the fight. [Ships, tanks, planes—lots of planes. Like B-29's, costing \$600,000 in War Bonds each. Or like rescue planes.



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# Warren Takes League Opener From Meadville, 29 - 27

## Dragons' Third Quarter Spree Downs Fast Bulldog Quint; Scalise and Hammerbeck Star

Outscoring the Bulldogs, 14 to 7, in the third period, Warren triumphed in its first league start by defeating Meadville High's cagers 29-27. After trailing 14-10 at halftime, Joe Massa's crew spurred forth to decision the opening game of the District Ten, Section Two title race.

Paced by veterans Joe Scalise and Bob Hammerbeck, Warren High's Dragons jolted Reid Pierce's 'Dog Quint for the locals' seventh win in nine starts and Meadville's fifth loss in eight starts. Scalise counted 13 markers with Hammerbeck close behind with 11.

Coach Joseph A. Massa's quint was held intact in the first two periods, scoring but 10 points to the Bulldogs' 14. Al Chisholm, junior star of the Meadville machine, paced the opponents' accurate first half attack with nine points, and the Dragons' failure to make good their attempts at the bucket placed the Meadville five on the long end of a 14-10 count at the halfway mark.

The locals missed consistently throughout the first half on the small 'Dog hardwood, but the second half Dragon spearhead swept the lead from the Bulldogs and the locals marched ahead to forge out a decisive victory.

Meadville opened the last half play with two consecutive goals to increase its lead to 15-10. The Massmen lashed back with five straight field goals to dump the Bulldog lead and took over the reins holding a 20-18 margin. The Dragons continued to march ahead and continued until they held a 28-21 lead.

Before Warren could continue further, the Pierce crew closed the locals' gap and clambered to within 3 points of the local tally, 25-25, before Bob Hammerbeck dumped in a charity toss to close the Dragon scoring. Brewster, big Negro center, dropped in the final basket for the Meadville quint just before the final whistle, the

battle ending at 29-27. The Warren five outscored the Meadvilleers from the field, 12 to 9, and converted 5 out of 8 free throws. The Dragons are idle until Friday night when they entertain the Titusville Rockets in their second league encounter. On Saturday night, the locals invade Jamestown to attempt to gain revenge from the stinging 34-33 loss suffered by the Warrenites on the Beatty hardwood.

Warren (29)				
	FG	FT	PT	TP
Scalise, f	5	3	3	13
Juliano, c	0	0	0	0
Babcock, c	2	0	0	4
Hammerbeck, g	5	1	3	11
Lucia, g	0	1	2	1
Gray, f	0	0	0	0
Eaton, c	0	0	0	0
Reed, f	0	0	0	0

Meadville (27)				
	FG	FT	PT	TP
Hall, f	1	3	6	5
A. Chisholm, f	5	1	4	11
Brewster, c	2	0	0	4
B. Chisholm, g	0	3	5	3
Hoffecker, g	0	1	1	1
Ricci, c	1	1	1	3
Harry, f	0	0	0	0
Nigro, f	0	0	0	0

Totals ..... 12 5 6 29

Warren ..... 5 14 5 29

Meadville ..... 3 6 7 27

Reference—Johnson.

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Franklin ..... 1 0 1.000

Meadville ..... 0 1 .000

Oil City ..... 0 1 .000

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35 words or 7 lines	.77	2.10	3.75
40 words or 8 lines	.88	2.40	4.32
45 words or 9 lines	.99	2.70	4.86
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### Live Stock

#### Wanted—Live Stock

**WANTED**—To buy market chickens. Inquire Angove's Market, Pa. Ave., West. Phone 1415.

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#### Articles For Sale

**4 PAIRS** ice skates for sale. 320 Prospect St. Phone 1097-M.

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**EVERYTHING FINANCED FOR BUYER OR SELLER.** Personal Discount Co., 216 Liberty St. Phone 285.

**1 PORCELAIN** enamel white sink, 22x36, with nickel trap. Call 789-M.

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#### Wearing Apparel

**ALTO SAXOPHONE** for sale. Inquire Conti Barber Shop, 806 Penna. Ave., E. Call 1999.

#### Wanted—To Buy

**WANTED**—Tilting table saw and drill press, quarter or half inch chuck. Phone 5840-J3.

**LATHING MACHINE** or ripsaw wanted. Everett Yeagle, R. D. 1, Warren, Pa. Phone 2570.

**WANTED**—To buy old lamp, with or without shades; odd shades, white or colored, 10, 12 and 14 inch; small picture frames, old dishes. Address Box 59, care of Times-Mirror.

**ACCORDION** and saxophone wanted. State price. Write Box "H. S.", care Times-Mirror.

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#### Apartments and Flats

**FURNISHED** apartment, 3 rooms, private bath, suitable for 1 or 2 adults. 419 East St.

**UNFURNISHED** apartment, 3 rooms, bath. Adults only. Write Box 577, care Times-Mirror.

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**WANTED**—To rent small house as soon as possible. Call Russell 3181.

**HOUSE** or apt. wanted by March 1st. Must have 3 bedrooms. Responsible people, 3 adults. Call 1366

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**6-ROOM** modern home, Automatic gas heat, other modern conv., up on Conewango Ave. Call 1829-J.

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## Truce Terminates Athens Hostilities

Athens, Jan. 15.—(P)—A truce ending hostilities between the left wing ELAS and British troops went into effect today.

The peace with EAM leaders was negotiated by Lt. Gen. Ronald M. Scobie, British commander, who yesterday told cheering demonstrators that his forces would protect the Greek people and their liberties against revolution from any quarter.

Moderates who were former members of the EAM, political organization of the ELAS, said at a press conference today they had completely dissociated themselves from that movement. The moderates were formerly Socialist delegates to the EAM from Salonika.

## New Thrusts Take Soviets Across Nido

(From Page One)

dustrial areas of southeastern Germany.

Fighting in sub-zero temperatures yesterday up to 15 miles and captured 200 more localities for a three-day total of 555.

In the northern sector of his salient across the Vistula, however, his troops met sharply stiffening Nazi resistance just south of Kielce. Other Red army elements seeking to push their way up the Vistula toward Warsaw ran into the same hard defensive fighting.

Military observers in Moscow pointed out that Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky's first White Russian army was massed before Warsaw on the eastern bank of the Vistula ready to give the Germans another big defensive problem. Further north the Third White Russian army is poised in East Prussia, augmented by other Soviet troops released from the Baltic campaign.

## Yanks Hurdle Vital Agno River Barrier

(From Page One)

and approached Alaminos on the southern side of the crescent-shaped arc, representing gains of 10 and 20 miles, respectively, from an original beachhead measuring 15 miles.

Capture of Damortis, where the Americans found little more than sniper fire, seals off Japanese troops on the northwest coast from the only highway leading into the Benguet mountains. Some Japanese military leaders are believed to be in these mountains at Baguio, summer capital of the Philippines.

The sweep westward to Alaminos included seizure of Port Saul after a short, sharp fight. Associated Press War Correspondent Fred Hampson reported the Yanks captured a quantity of equipment there—the first instance of material abandoned by the Luzon Japanese.

## Oil Centers Targets For Aerial Drive

(From Page One)

ministry communiques generally indicates that a force of more than 1,000 bombers participated.

A small force of raiders struck a secondary blow at the German capital.

Yesterday great armadas of Allied planes blasted Germany's oil resources and communications, and in the best flying weather in days scoured the retreating Nazis in Belgium. Allied headquarters said 232 German planes were shot down in the air while Allied losses were given as 53 planes, including 19 U. S. heavy bombers.

A special order of the day from Lt. Gen. Carl Spaatz, commander of the U. S. Strategic Air Forces in Europe, informed men of the U. S. Eighth Air Force assigned to attack German oil plants and depots that German fuel reserves were now critical. More than 900 heavy bombers and an almost equal number of fighters participated.

The German air force rose in strength to protect its oil supply, and the Britain-based U. S. planes knocked out 189 of them—149 falling to fighter planes which set a new record for the Eighth Air Force. The previous record for a single day was 134.

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## Germans Withdrawing All Way To Siegfried Line Try To Stiffen Their Defenses

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His Sixth Armored Division thrust a mile ahead of Michamps, 4 1/2 miles northeast of Bastogne. Infantry edged a quarter mile into woods three and a half miles northwest of the Luxembourg town of Wiltz.

Just north of Haguenau forest area of northeast France, the Germans launched another attack on the Hatten area where Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's Seventh Army attempted to halt enemy attempts to break through Maginot line positions. Four Nazi tanks broke into Hatten last night, but had been driven off by midnight.

Field Marshal von Rundstedt strove to hold St. Vith, where two railroads and seven important highways meet four miles west of the German frontier. He sent over 25 tanks, lightly supported by infantry, against Hodges' men at Thirimont, and these were badly mauled in two engagements during darkness.

The Americans after cutting the Houffalize-St. Vith road threatened to sever another from Vielsalm to Cherrier.

The Germans were fighting on the north behind strong screens of anti-tank guns painted white and hidden in snow drifts.

West of the Laroche-Bertogne road, only German stragglers and a few suicide squads remained as British forces and U. S. Third Army troops fanned through the entire region mopping up haggard and shivering survivors. The British reached the Ourthe river on a wide front. The Germans offered a strong fight at Mousny, eight miles west of Houffalize.

The Luftwaffe sent up 700 planes Sunday in a desperate defense and had at least 232 of them shot down to Allied losses of 57 bombers and fighters.

Allied air forces from fighters to heavies ranged from the snow-drifted battlefield to Berlin itself. Hundreds of American warplanes scoured the lines of retreat yesterday in the best flying weather in days, riddling some Nazi convoys lined up bumper to bumper.

If the favorable weather continues, Allied air power may be able to wreck great quantities of Marshal von Rundstedt's armor and transport before they reach the German border.

## NEW FLOOD BOATS IN THE PITTSBURGH AREA

Pittsburgh, Jan. 15.—(P)—Ten of 50 flood boats purchased by the U. S. Coast Guard are being assigned to the Pittsburgh area merely to improve equipment, and not because of any immediate flood threat.

The boats, to be stationed at strategic points, may be joined to end or side to form one big craft. Seats can be removed to make a ramp. The boats are powered by outboard motors and draw only six inches of water.

Coast Guardsmen, some of whom landed shallow draft boats in the Pacific invasions, are training to use the new craft.

## DAIRYMEN DOING WELL

Harrisburg, Jan. 15.—(P)—Pennsylvania Farmers produced more milk and eggs during 1944 than they did in 1943, despite manpower shortages throughout the state. The Federal State Crop Reporting Service of the Department of Agriculture said that milk production was two per cent higher than in 1943 and egg production was up seven per cent. The average number of milk cows per farm reached the highest point ever recorded in the commonwealth. The average number of hens during December was 19,238,000.

## STATE RELIEF SURVEY

Harrisburg, Jan. 15.—(P)—Relief costs in Pennsylvania dropped nearly ten per cent during 1944, department of Public Assistance figures revealed today. The total cost for the year was \$54,823,000, a decrease of \$5,38,000 from 1943, said acting Secretary Robert S. Wray. The state paid out \$35,353,000 with the federal government contributing \$19,470,000.

## FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—(P)—Mid-city offices of the Railway Express Agency, Inc., were swept by fire early yesterday, destroying company records and threatening war material awaiting shipment. Seven employees were forced to flee by the blaze, and under investigation by army and navy intelligence, the FBI and city police. Earlier, the three-story textile mill of Vigilant Mills, Inc., was destroyed in a six-alarm fire, with damaged placed by plant officials at \$1,000,000.

## COASTING FATALITY

Johnstown, Jan. 15.—(P)—Francis Spanda, 12, died in Mercy Hospital yesterday as a result of injuries suffered when his sled coasted into a concrete wall.

## SHERIFF CUTS FORCE

Pittsburgh, Jan. 15.—(P)—Sheriff John W. Montgomery today dropped 10 men from his staff of 70-odd deputies. Reduced office income made the economy move necessary, said the sheriff.

### Market Quotations

AVERAGES: 155.02; OFF .56.

VOLUME: 967,000

New York, Jan. 15.—(P)—Noon

stocks:

Air Reduction... 41 1/2

Al Chem and Dye... 180

Al Ltd... 29 1/2

Am Can... 92 1/2

Am and For Pow... 3

Am Rad and St S... 12

Am Smelt and S... 42

Am Tel and Tel... 163 1/2

Anaconda Cop... 31 1/2

Atch T and S F... 82 1/2

Atl Refining... 32 1/2

Bald Loco Co... 26 1/2

Balt and Ohio... 12 1/2

Barnsdall... 19 1/2

Bendix Aviat... 40 1/2

Beth Steel... 70 1/2

Boeing Airplane... 19 1/2

Borden Co... 34 1/2

Briggs Mfg... 38 1/2

Budd Mfg... 10 1/2

Case (JI) Co... 37

Ches and Ohio... 52

Chrysler Corp... 95 1/2

Colum, G and EL... 48 1/2

Coml. Solvents... 15 1/2

Cons. Edison... 25 1/2

Cont. Can... 40 1/2

Curtiss Wright... 61 1/2

Del. Lack and West... 94 1/2

## Wreck - Blocked Tracks Are Cleared and Traffic Resumed

Wrecking crews of the Pennsylvania railroad last night finished the cleaning of the tracks of the railroad at Roystone of the tangled mass of wreckage left when a fast freight piled up there. The freight was a fast one carrying empties westward and the locomotive left the rails dragging 21 cars off the track. They were piled up in a tangled mass that reduced most of the cars to kindling and the loss was a heavy one. Most of the cars were of the refrigerator type of a class that are hard to replace and they were used for shipping meats and fruits to the eastern market.

Engineer C. S. Myers, of Erie and two other crew members were in the locomotive when it left the rails and Myers was catapulted some distance from the train but due to the heavy snow escaped uninjured. The engine rolled down a 20 foot embankment before it came to rest.

The wrecking crews were soon on the job and with huge cranes dumped many of the cars off onto the right of way in an endeavor to get the tracks cleared for traffic. Passenger trains were detoured via Olean while the wreck clogged the lines.

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\$329 Fur Coats  
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Suedes in blue,  
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Fur Trimmed coats,  
tuxedo fur fronts. **\$79**

\$58 to \$78 Coats  
Gorgeously  
furled coats in  
all colors and sizes. **62.85**

\$45 to \$58 Coats  
One group of  
exquisite coats  
—all fur trimmed. **39.95**

To 29.50 Coats  
Untrimmed cas-  
ual and dress  
coats, all sizes. **12.84**

To 42.50 Coats  
Untrimmed  
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ing a few Chesterfields. **32.85**

To \$58 Coats  
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4.25 Cottage Sets, White, Red Figures, \$3

Unfinished to 1.25 Cornice Boards to 79c

Large Selection Linoleum Remnants off 1/3

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Framed Oil Paintings Many Subjects, off 1/2

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3.25 Hand Decorated Wood Trays at 2.75

25% Wool Blankets, Sizes 72x84, at 5.95

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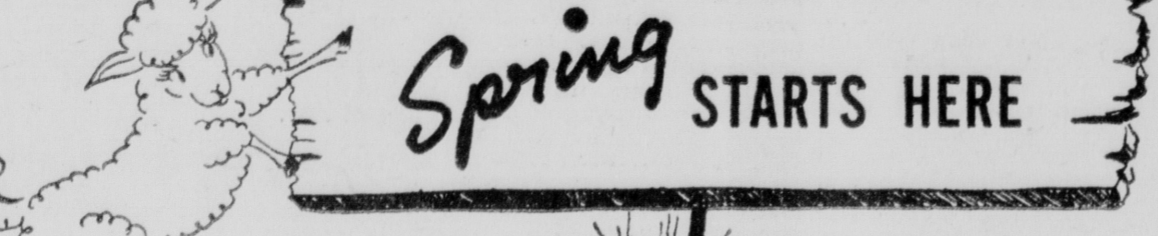
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100% Wool Skirts  
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In the "Girltogs Shop" on the Fourth Floor you will find these exciting plaid skirts in sizes 7 to 14 years. Pleated all around. In American Beauty, rose or blue.

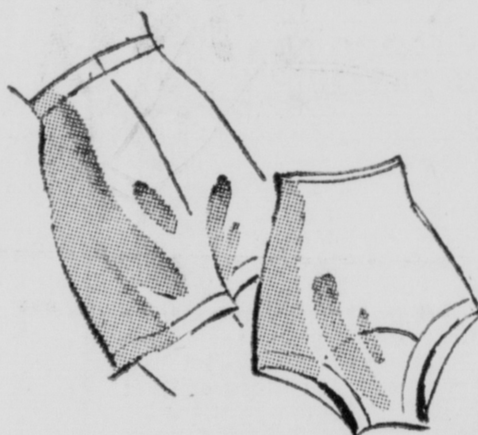
Dainty Cotton Blouses

That simply go with the skirts... Batiste and sheer cottons. Dainty lace trimmed. **1.98**

Knit Rayon Panties

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## Storage Cabinets

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transferred to Camp Roberts, Calif. where she is with a motor transport division.

Pfc. William Erickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Erickson, is home on a furlough from Newfoundland where he has been stationed for nearly three years.

**HOME FROM PACIFIC**  
Lt. (j.g.) Allen M. Smith, home on 20-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Smith, Starbuck, left Thursday night for New York, from where he will go by plane to California for further naval assignment. Pilot of a patrol bomber, land-based navy plane, he has been in the South Pacific Area for the past 14 months and has successfully flown missions over most of the island groups, including the Marshalls, Gilberts, Marianas and others. No single man in his squadron has less than 200 missions to his credit, Lt. Smith reports.

Mrs. R. L. Pierce, 12 Maple street, North Warren, has received a letter from her son, G. F. Pierce, somewhere in the Pacific, stating that he has been promoted to the rank of ensign. Ensign Pierce lived for a time when a boy in Warren and has since visited here frequently. He has many friends here who will be interested in learning of his promotion. He has been in the navy for twenty years and since the outbreak of

the war has seen considerable action including the battles at Pearl Harbor and the Aleutians.

Mrs. Frank W. Frederick, Cobham Park road, has received word that her husband, Pvt. Frederick, has arrived safely somewhere in England with his heavy field artillery unit.

Pvt. LeRoy Gregory, wounded near Metz, France, on September 20 and more recently hospitalized at Thayer General Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., is home on 21-day furlough to visit his mother, Mrs. Ellen Gregory, 818 Fourth avenue.

**REPORTED INJURED**  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ludwig, of Lander, received a telegram from the War Department Saturday informing them that their son, Sgt. Myron Ludwig, serving in the Pacific area, had been slightly injured in action over the Marianas.

dential citation, the Air Medal with five Oak Leaf clusters and two Bronze Stars. After his visit to Miami Beach, Fla., for further assignment. He has a brother, Pvt. Angelo Tamburine who is with Hodges First Army, last heard from in Luxembourg.

The family of Cpl. Stuart L. Lord has received word that he has arrived safely somewhere in the Pacific Area.

### Sports Roundup

(From Page Eight)

Grounds isn't merely a baseball park. It's a football field, too, and the scene of some great boxing matches and of big events in lesser sports.

**Contrasts in Color**  
Eddie Brannick, the Giants' plucks as his most vividly remembered game at the Polo Grounds that 1933 duel between Car Hubbell and Dizzy Dean when Hub hurley "one of the great games of his career" to win 1-0 in 18 innings. But Eddie might have chosen the all-star game the next year when Hubbell fanned five great American League sluggers—Ruth, Gehrig, Foxx, Simmons and Croning—in succession... and other memorable all-star spectacle

was that first wartime clash, in 1942, when a cloudburst swept the field just before the twilight game and a blackout followed the last play, leaving 34,000 fans to sit in darkness.

### Army-Navy

Old Manhattan Field was the scene of many a titanic football tussle between Yale and Princeton, but when the Polo Grounds was rebuilt after the 1911 fire, it became New York's big football field... such teams as Dartmouth, Syracuse, Washington and Jefferson, Lafayette and Brown—tops in those days—brought their big games to New York... and for many years West Point chose the field as its "home" grounds for its games with Navy... it was there that Cadets Verne Prichard and Lou Merrill, who had leaned forward passing the hard way after Knute Rockne and Gus Dorais pitched Notre Dame to victory over Army, put their lessons into effect to beat Navy 22-6 in 1913. And it was 14 years later that Red Cagle, Light Horse Harry Wilson and their now more-famous army teammates won the last game before Army and Navy had to move to ever bigger fields.

### Tenth Ave. Tech

In 1925 the football Giants were organized and professional football in New York "caught on" when one of the best-publicized of all college stars, Red Grange, came

to town with the Chicago Bears and 75,000 people turned out to see him. The game wasn't much, but the old Polo Grounds never has seen a crowd like it, and the customers kept coming back for more thrills... They got plenty in 1934 when the Bears won a regular-season tussle, 9-7, as a Chicago player stole the ball to set up a last-minute field goal by Jack Manders, and then Chicago came back for the title playoff... that was the game played on an ice-coated field. The Giants helped through the first half, came out after the intermission wearing sneakers instead of cleated shoes and ran wild to win 30-13... Stout Steve Owen, Giants' coach since the beginning, says simply: "That was my greatest thrill in sports."

## Bradford Cagle Star Killed in Crash

Bradford, Jan. 15—Aviation Cadet Donald C. Walker, former All-Star basketball guard, and prominent athlete on Bradford High School's championship teams, was instantly killed when his B-25 and a second plane collided as the latter was taking off on a combat training flight at Moody Field, Georgia.

Cadet Walker was named to the guard position on the All-Penn-

## MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

## Richard Moll In Engineer Unit Honored

Cpl. Richard H. Moll, son of Frank Moll, 2041 Pennsylvania avenue, east, along with other members of a Ninth Air Force Aviation Engineer Battalion, has been awarded the Presidential Distinguished Unit citation.

Despite enemy fire and heavy mining, the unit constructed the first transport aviation field and the first operational airfield in other battalions of the Ninth Engineer Command in building more than 100 airbases for the air campaign in France.

He landed with one of the first detachments of the battalion, coming ashore with the infantry on D plus one. The original site of an emergency landing strip was still in enemy hands, and by constructing the project on a "borrowed site," the unit was credited with providing an evacuation field that saved the lives of hundreds of men whom the overtaxed beach-head hospitals could not have cared for.

The operational airfield was constructed in six days for use by U. S. Ninth Air Force fighter-bombers who dive bombed and strafed enemy strongpoints in front of the advancing armies.

## Shollenberger In Cited Unit

Mrs. B. Shollenberger, 206 North Irvine street, has received some special news through headquarters of a 12th AAF B-26 Marauder group. A special dispatch from there reports that her son, S/Sgt. John L. Shollenberger, 22, is entitled to wear the Distinguished Unit badge, mark of the highest citation that is awarded armed forces.

His B-26 Marauder unit, operating in the Mediterranean theatre, has been cited by the War Department for "outstanding performance of duty in armed conflict with the enemy."

Overseas since July, 1944, S/Sgt. Shollenberger is a gunner on a B-26 Marauder.

**MEET IN BELGIUM**  
In a letter to his father at Pittsfield, Pvt. Arthur Morrison writes that early in December and quite by chance he encountered an old friend and home town boy, Pvt. Bud Fehlman, in Belgium. Although scarcely able to recognize each other at first, since neither had shaved or washed for 21 days, their spirits soared as they visited for a short while.

## T-5 Smith Is Recipient of Bronze Star

Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Smith, of Clarendon, have received word that their son, T/5 Arthur C. Smith, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for participation in action against the enemy on Leyte.

The citation accompanying the decoration reads:  
"Technician Fifth Grade Arthur C. Smith, 33495692, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy near Dagami, Leyte, Philippine Islands, on November 3, 1944. Technician Fifth Grade Smith voluntarily and with complete disregard for his own personal safety, went forward in the face of heavy machine gun, mortar and sniper fire to evacuate wounded comrades. The heroism displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Smith reflects credit upon himself and the Military Service." A member of the 96th Division in the invasion of Leyte, T/5 Smith was in the front lines for 33 consecutive days. He has also been awarded the badge expert combat infantryman.

## Varied Life For Engineer

Arriving from headquarters of a Sixth Army Group somewhere in France is a special dispatch which reports that Pfc. Louis P. Vizza is a member of an engineer regiment that spends part of its time building bridges but most of the time in the Sixth Army group front as infantry. The report continues:

The regiment, activated in 1941 at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., has taken part in the North African, Italian and Southern France campaigns. After taking part in the Carolina maneuvers in 1941, they received intensive amphibious training and came overseas in 1942.

The regiment landed on D-Day in Southern France and operated several beach areas until early in September, when they joined the drive on Germany. One battalion of the regiment helped prepare the harbor at Marseilles to receive Allied supplies.

Pfc. H. L. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Johnson, 16 Park street, has left for Grand Island, Neb., after a short furlough at home, stopping en route at Buffalo to visit his sister, Miss Marie Johnson.

### PROMOTION AND BADGE

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Jordan, of Lottsville, have received word that their son, Howard, has been promoted to staff sergeant and presented with the Combat Infantry Badge. Sgt. Jordan is serving with General Patch's Seventh Army somewhere in Germany.

The Jordans have also received word that their daughter, Pvt. Autumn Jordan, of the WAC, has finished her basic training at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and has been



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## THE WEATHER

Light snow today and tonight with little change in temperature; Tuesday snow flurries and slightly colder. Warren temp.: High 32, low 23.

## WARREN TIMES-MIRROR

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## GOOD EVENING

It would be interesting to know how many Christmas presents have been wrapped up and stored away to be used as wedding gifts come next June!

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## NAZI RETREAT IN BULGE VERGES ON ROUT

## GERMANS WITHDRAWING ALL WAY TO SIEGFRIED LINE TRY TO STIFFEN THEIR DEFENSES

North of St. Vith Enemy Mounts Series of Counter-Attacks Against U. S. First Around Thirionmont, Touching Off Violent Battle

BITE DEEPER INTO THE SHOULDER OF SALIENT

By JAMES M. LONG

Paris, Jan. 15.—(P)—The American First Army drove within a mile and a half today of the communications center of Houffalize, pivot of a new improvised German defense line in the flattening Belgian bulge. Heavy fog, a blinding snowstorm and a sharp drop in the freezing temperature slowed the pace of the three solidly linked Allied armies elsewhere, and again grounded tactical air forces late in the day. Clear weather during the morning had permitted some planes to attack the Germans on the southern part of the salient.

The famous "hell on wheels" Second Armored Division drove closest to Houffalize, striking from the north. Third Army troops were a bare three miles south of the town, and British and Americans were last reported a little more than three miles away from the west.

## OIL CENTERS TARGETS FOR AERIAL DRIVE

Fortresses and Liberators Continue Mighty New Allied Offensive Against Reich

OVER 1,000 TAKE PART

## BULLETIN

London, Jan. 15.—(P)—Almost 1,800 American bombers and fighters from Britain pounded four railroad yards in southern Germany without interference from German fighters today, following yesterday's large-scale battles in which 243 enemy aircraft were destroyed.

London, Jan. 15.—(P)—U. S. Eighth Air Force Fortresses and Liberators raided Germany by daylight today, continuing the mighty Allied aerial offensive which lasted eight prime Nazi oil centers in a 36-hour period ending last night.

An official announcement said American long range bombers were over Germany again at noon today, after RAF heavies "in very great strength" heaped tons of explosives on the Leuna synthetic oil plant at Merseburg and on a fuel depot at Dahlen last night.

Use of the quoted phrase in air (Turn to Page Nine)

## Wheeler Calls For Political Council

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.), calling for immediate formation of a United Nations Political Council, contended today that Europe is being forced into the "embrace" of Russia through "power politics."

The Montana senator addressed the senate after bipartisan support developed over the week-end for a proposal by Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) of the foreign relations committee for the United Nations to set up a provisional council to handle political questions. This council would operate while agreements on a world security organization were being ratified.

In a prepared address the Montana senator told his colleagues he was convinced that with Great Britain in the objective of restoring free government to Nazi-occupied countries "is even now a secondary aim, and with Russia it is not an aim at all."

The chairman of the senate foreign relations committee plans to lay his idea before secretary of state Stettinius this week.

## War Damage Insurance Is Being Paid By Corporation

By MAX HALL

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—No shot bombs have hit the United States, but even without them the government has already paid war damage insurance claims to a number of property owners on the U. S. mainland.

The War Damage Corporation, which leads the world's insurance companies with well over \$100,000,000 of insurance in force, projects against loss resulting from enemy attack, or (2) action of American forces in resisting enemy attack.

The corporation disclosed today for the first time—specific examples of claims it has paid, as follows:

1. More than \$4,500 for damage to a building in Hempstead, Long Island, caused by the falling of an enemy airplane.
2. A "number of claims resulting from the explosion of the U. S. destroyer Turner in New York harbor on January 3, 1944.
3. Several claims in the Los Angeles-Long Beach area for damage resulting from falling shells from anti-aircraft guns.
4. More than \$1,000 for damage to an oil company's property on the California coast which was shelled by a submarine, "probably Japanese."
5. A claim of \$10 for damage to a house in the San Francisco Bay area struck by a navy blimp.

M'Arthur Forces Fast Closing in on Nips  
Reds Storm Westward in Seven Sectors

## Dealers Seek Solution To Cigarette Shortage

Chicago, Jan. 15.—(P)—That day to day uncertainty about finding cigarettes—currently plaguing many smokers throughout the nation—may be somewhat alleviated by efforts of a dealers conference that opened today. The answer, they hold, is rationing. The National Association of Tobacco Distributors met to do something about the cigarette shortage which they dislike as much as the smokers. What they propose may take the form of national cigarette rationing to retailers aimed at a fair distribution of the limited supplies.

## Man Shoots Two Sisters And Suicides

Philipsburg, Jan. 15.—(P)—A 56-year-old man shot and wounded two young women and then killed himself today, at nearby Morrisdale, Edwin Gustafson, assistant chief of police of Philipsburg reported.

Gustafson identified the man as Willard G. Strange and the young women as May Dullen, 21, and Virginia Dullen, 19, sisters. The young women were brought to the Philipsburg State Hospital where their condition was stated to be good. Virginia Dullen was shot in the hip and thigh and her sister, May, in the abdomen.

Gustafson said the young women were shot after May Dullen refused to marry Strange, who lives about a mile from her home. The officer said that when the man went to the Dullen home, Strange and May had words, and the shooting followed. Virginia Dullen, Gustafson said, was wounded in trying to take the pistol away from Strange.

After the shooting, Strange ran from the house and a short time later was found dead at his own home, one side of his head blown off by a shotgun charge. One end of a piece of string had been attached to the trigger of the gun and the other was looped around his right foot.

Coroner E. S. Erhard, of Clearfield county, declared Strange's death a suicide.

## Vital Empire Life Line Declared Cut

U. S. Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Pearl Harbor, Jan. 15.—(P)—The navy still had nothing further to report today on its bold south China sea thrust but a delayed flagship report declared the Third Fleet cut that vital Japanese empire line with surprising ease.

In a report from Vice Adm. John S. McCain's carrier force dated Jan. 12 (Thursday, Jan. 11, Pearl Harbor and U. S. time), Associated Press Correspondent Rembert James said: "Japan lost control of her vital south China sea routes today."

Last official word here of the Third Fleet's activities was in a Friday night communiqué reporting the attacks, which had sunk enemy warships and transports and damaged 13 others, were going into their second day.

Pacific fleet headquarters listed one light cruiser and several destroyers among the enemy vessels sunk.

## Nazis Frustrated On Adriatic Front

Rome, Jan. 15.—(P)—Repeated Nazi efforts to set up outposts south of the Reno river and east of the Senio along the Adriatic battle line have been frustrated with heavy losses to the enemy. Allied headquarters announced today.

Strongly reinforced German forces have dug in along the farther banks of these rivers from the Adriatic to the Apennines and it is apparent that Field Marshal Kesselring intends to hold that line at all costs.

In the western coastal regions of the Fifth Army German patrols stepped up activity, particularly in the Serchio valley where a recent German counteroffensive was beaten back.

## YANKS HURDLE VITAL AGNO RIVER BARRIER

Infantrymen in Fifth Day of Invasion Continue South At Pace Limited By Supply Columns

CAPTURE MANGATAREM

By the Associated Press  
A Japanese imperial headquarters communiqué admitted today that American forces are "gradually closing in on Japanese positions on both sides of the Pangasinan plain" on Luzon.

Pangasinan plain includes the curving U. S. beachhead off Lingayen gulf leading into the broad sweeping corridor to Manila. "Part of the American forces landed in the vicinity of Damortis," added the communiqué which was intercepted by the Federal Communications Commission, "and Japanese forces are now seriously counterattacking in this area."

continuing this unconfirmed claim, the communiqué added that on Jan. 11 and 12, Japanese forces sank or damaged at least 14 landing barges and accounted for about 1,000 enemy troops either killed or wounded.

By C. YATES McDANIEL

General MacArthur's Headquarters, Luzon, Jan. 15.—(P)—U. S. Sixth Army troops crossed the formidable but virtually undefended Agno river 88 miles from Manila and overran scattered Japanese to expand their Longayan beachhead 30 miles to a total of 45. Gen. Douglas MacArthur reported today.

The infantrymen in their fifth day of the invasion hurdled the Agno, where the enemy had been expected to make a stand, at Bayambang, 22 miles from the gulf. They continued south at a pace limited only by the ability of supply columns to keep up with them.

Mangataram was captured by the westernmost spearhead in an eight-mile advance brushing through two enemy skirmishing parties. The eastern flank had more difficulty going but approached Catubman, 20 miles inland, in a five-mile gain.

On this front the Yanks ran into small arms and artillery fire from an enemy position of foxholes and dugouts. Eighty-two Japanese and a few Americans were killed.

Extension of the beachhead took in the important rail and highway junction of Damortis on the north (Turn to Page Nine)

## Pennsylvania Legislature Back to Work

Pennsylvania, Jan. 15.—(P)—The 1945 Pennsylvania legislature will get to work this week on the program of maximum war effort and preparations for peace-time adjustments.

Appointment of committees in both the senate and house today will pave the way for the introduction of bills, including much of the Martin administration's program.

The senate meets at 4 p. m. and the house at 9 p. m., after a two-week recess following the opening day when the Republican majority organized both branches and a joint session received the commonwealth's \$668,000,000 budget for the next two years.

First administration bills ready for introduction would allot the state's \$170,000,000 cash surplus to pay off \$49,000,000 of building bonds and earmark the remainder for postwar work.

Governor Martin has advised against any change in the state's tax structure, except to earmark a one-cent emergency gasoline tax yielding \$22,500,000 annually for local highways to relieve real estate levies to that extent.

In addition to the gasoline tax, the administration program calls for re-enactment of emergency levies on liquor, cigarettes, corporate net incomes and gross receipts, estimated to yield \$151,722,900 during 1945-47.



Highlights of Allied action in the Pacific are shown on above map, principal event of the week being the Yank invasion of Luzon in the Philippines.

## Superforts In Bold Strikes In Pacific Area

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—America's heavyweights of the air, B-29s, boldly struck Japan with another one-two attack yesterday. While one fleet of Superfortresses bombed the fortress island of Formosa, main link to the beleaguered Philippines, another force blasted the home island of Honshu.

The two daylight strikes—each with upwards of 100 planes taking part—were carried out without a single loss to enemy action, the war department reported.

Japanese broadcasts said the target of the Honshu raiders was Nagoya, vital aircraft center. An imperial communiqué read over the lines of 150 men each and 34 damaged over Honshu.

Meanwhile, it was learned that General H. H. "Hap" Arnold wants his air forces to feel that they no longer are merely "air support" but have become "an arm of war" themselves.

He has asked all air forces personnel to drop reference to "air support" in favor of a more fitting description such as "air coordination."

The attack on Formosa was the second of the new year, the other in 1945 having been carried out last Tuesday.

Formosa, 90 miles off the China coast, is a concentration point for enemy planes, troops and supplies. It has been bombed frequently in recent months.

## MERCY PLANE

Erie, Jan. 15.—(P)—A third youngster from the snowbound rural area of Erie county is recovering in an Erie hospital through air-ambulance work of Louis Raub, amateur pilot, and his ski-equipped mercy plane.

The sufferer is Alex Slupcevic, 3, of Harborcreek, who had an abscess following an attack of scarlet fever. Raub brought two other youngsters here in the last week—one for an appendectomy, the other for treatment of an infected finger.

## Mild Temperature Prevails in Nation

By the Associated Press  
Unusually mild weather and above normal temperatures prevailed today in western and southern states.

Texas had readings of 76 at Dallas and San Antonio while New Orleans had 69 and Miami 75. The government weather bureau in Chicago said the mild spell was expected to continue.

The only cold area centered in New England which was heavily blanketed by snow ranging from 2 to 14 inches. Icy highways snarled traffic in New York. Additional snow was predicted for the area today. Temperatures ranged from 5 degrees to the low 20's.

## LaGuardia Suggests Good Old Fish Fridays

New York, Jan. 15.—(P)—"Good old fish Fridays," says Mayor F. H. La Guardia, should be supplemented in New York City's restaurants with "by-product menus" on Monday and a "return to meat-less Tuesdays."

La Guardia said yesterday he was working on a plan to be submitted to public eating places as a means of conserving the city's meat supply. He also appealed for housewives cooperation.

## Veteran Diplomat Given New Post

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—President Roosevelt today nominated Edwin C. Wilson, veteran American diplomat, to be ambassador to Turkey.

The action filled the last major diplomatic post of this government which was still open in the European area.

Wilson, who was the president's representative at Algiers when that was headquarters for the French Committee of Liberation and who subsequently served as a member of the Mediterranean commission, is now director of the state department's office of special political affairs.

The Turkish assignment formerly was held by Laurence Steinhardt, who was named ambassador to Czechoslovakia some weeks ago.

## OVER A MILLION IN THE CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Harrisburg, Jan. 15.—(P)—Civilian defense enrollments in Pennsylvania now total 1,482,556 or about one-seventh of the state's population.

Dr. Ralph Cooper Hutchison, executive director of the state Council of Defense said that an increase of 883 volunteers in December over the number enrolled in November indicated that citizens were realizing that the war is far from won.

## Uncle Sam Lists Essential Aids to Help Win the War

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—The Office of War Information said today:

"The government needs and asks citizens in this 162nd week of the war to:

"Turn out all unnecessary or ornamental lights to help avert shortages of coal essential to war production."

"Keep the temperature in homes at a 68-degree maximum. Live within your fuel oil rations; if you

## Necessity Of Work-or-Fight Order Probed

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—Opposing enactment now of pending work-or-fight legislation, chairman Mead (D-N. Y.) ordered a reexamination by the senate war investigating committee of the nation's manpower needs.

Mead told a reporter the committee would call before it this week representatives of the War Manpower Commission, War Production Board and the War Department to learn whether the jobs filling goals previously fixed had been reached by voluntary methods of whether any legislation actually is needed.

These witnesses also will be asked, the chairman said, whether Allied losses in material and equipment in the Germans' Belgian offensive were such as to force an upward revision in manpower needs.

The house military committee is continuing hearings on a measure which would make all deferred selective registrants between 18 and 45 liable to penalties if they declined to comply with a request to move from non-essential jobs to war employment. Mead expressed doubt that such legislation is needed now.

The house group called representatives of the American Federation of Labor and the CIO for testimony today and tomorrow.

## CAMERON SPORTSMEN HAVE FEEDING HIKE

Emporium, Jan. 15.—(P)—The Cameron Rod and Gun Club braved heavy snows in Cameron county moun aims yesterday to provide food for wild life.

W. G. Munsell, veteran sportsman who led one of 10 crews, said "because of the heavy snows of the past month it was impossible to get into the woods very deep where it would do the most good."

The men cut young poplars for deer, trimmed wild apple trees, and left grain, scraps and bread for fowl.

## Record Clearance Sale Shaping Up

Washington, Jan. 15.—(P)—Plans for the world's biggest clearance sale—the disposal of an estimated \$100,000,000 worth of surplus government property—shaped into firmer outline today, following two significant weekend developments.

Bernard M. Baruch, President Roosevelt's informal economic consultant, recommended "self-containment" for the United States and retention of government control over stockpiles of raw materials obtained at great expense from far-away corners of the globe.

And, with the senate set for all-but-automatic confirmation of former Senator Guy M. Gillette as a member of the surplus property board, sentiment was mounting in favor of his designation as chairman.

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## State Industries Provide Their Full Share of Sinews of War During the Year Just Ending

By the Associated Press  
Pennsylvania industries drove at full tilt during 1944, providing their share of the sinews of war for the European and Pacific fronts.

Despite manpower shortages and labor troubles, mountains of coal rolled from the state's mines, iron and steel from its mills. Factories turned out tremendous quantities of such diverse products as ships and shells and airplane parts, aluminum, synthetic rubber, foods.

Launchings of ships of war were a daily occurrence at Philadelphia and Pittsburgh shipyards. Scarcely a month passed in which steel companies did not announce new production records. Although fewer miners were working, coal production rose 5,000,000 tons in western Pennsylvania alone.

In 1945, industries face a production effort greater than ever, in view of increased estimates of requirements for the fighting fronts.

The world of coal may face a new crisis when biennial contracts of the United Mine Workers expire March 31. Steel, too, may have problems as the United Steel Workers have pledged themselves to continue their campaign, unsuccessful so far, to smash the "little steel" formula and win wage increases in excess of that government yardstick.

During 1944, both labor and management worked at fever heat to lessen the span of months until the final v-day.

Loss of workers to the armed forces handicapped both mines and mills. Illness and the increasing average of workers militated against maximum production. And there were strikes.

Efforts of the United Steel Workers of America (CIO) to break "little steel" formula, established by the War Labor Board in the spring of 1942, provided the big labor story of the year, particularly in Pennsylvania, leading steel state of the nation.

The "formula" provided there should be no general hourly wage increase of more than 15 per cent above Jan. 1, 1941, levels. The USWA, representing some 400,000 workers, demanded a flat wage increase of 17 cents an hour and other benefits.

In November the WLB gave the steel workers wage award, principally on shift differentials, expected to average about 5 cents an hour, granted vacation pay and, in principle, approved severance pay. A plea for a guaranteed annual wage was referred to the president with the suggestion that a commission be named to study it.

The board said the awards did not crack the formula as they were

made "to correct inequities" and did not represent general wage increases.

The union accepted the WLB ruling but resolved to continue its drive for the 17-cent raise. At Mr. end, the awards began, not in effect, pending OPA findings on their probable reaction on steel prices. The companies assert they cannot raise wages unless they get more money for their steel.

Difficulties relative to underground travel time, which caused four major coal strikes in 1943, were settled early this year and the bituminous coal fields entered upon a period of comparative quiet, expected to last at least until March 31, 1945, when the United Mine Workers' contract expires.

This calm was shattered, however, in August and September when nine supervisory workers, sponsored by district 50 of the UMWA, began an organization drive which resulted in several walkouts and introduced a labor technique new to the soft coal fields.

This technique was to legalize the strike before it was called. Mine foremen, fire bosses and other supervisors took NLRB-supervised strike votes in 114 mines, mostly in Pennsylvania and West Virginia, after operators had refused to recognize the United Clerical, Technical and Supervisory Workers of the mining industry.

Each mine had only a few supervisors, but when they struck other miners refused to enter the pits. The effect was to close completely any mine at which supervisors struck.

Throughout September there was fear of a nationwide miner walkout but the government seized each mine as soon as a strike began, ending the imminent danger to war production. Not more than 5,000 or 6,000 men were idle at any one time.

The strike procedure was abandoned when the WLB assumed jurisdiction in the dispute. A three-man panel was set up to hear complaints involving five western Pennsylvania mining companies. This was generally regarded as providing a test case for the supervisors' union.

At year's end, the panel hearings had been completed with final awards to be held in Washington early in 1945.

The Solid Fuels Administration estimated that soft coal production nationally will reach 622 millions for 1944, breaking last year's record 585 million tons.

In World War I, miners dug better than 579 million tons of coal in one year (1918) but had more than 600,000 men to do it. This year,

## Auto Crashes Due to Ice On City Streets

Police over the weekend were called upon to investigate a number of small auto crashes about the city. Several were of minor importance and mostly were due to the icy condition of the streets. Ruts in the ice made driving difficult.

On Friday cars of Ed Traub, 770 Woodbine avenue, Warren, O., and Merle Bee, of Youngsville, came together at Poplar street and Pennsylvania avenue. Traub had stalled his car in a rut at the intersection and Bee unable to stop slid into him. Damage was slight.

Sunday a car driven by Arthur Shine, Page Hollow in which Mrs. Mattie Shine was a passenger was hit by a machine driven by Thomas J. Hodges, Falls Creek, accompanied by Mrs. W. E. Sheldon, of Reynoldsburg, owner of the car. Shine saw the approaching car and fearing a crash stopped his machine. According to the police report the car driven by Hodges seemed out of control due to the ice. The machines crashed and the lights, fenders, radiator and other parts of Shine's car were damaged. Mrs. Sheldon assumed all damage and will have it adjusted.

A couple of pranksters at the Ritchie Diner last night rang up \$5.55 on the cash register when the waitress was not looking. Police were called and the fun-loving youths will explain to Mr. Ritchie "how come" such a big sale was registered.

A few doors were found unlocked and the cops escorted some money to the bank during Saturday night.

## Fine Record Made in 1944 By WMC Here

The United States Employment Service of the War Manpower Commission at Warren placed 3,465 workers in jobs last year. David W. Levine, Manager of the USES office announced today. Of these placements, he said 1,625 were women.

"Under the priority referral system, whereby we channel as many male workers as possible into war jobs where they are most vitally needed," Mr. Levine said "many of these workers were found jobs directly backing the war effort."

Placements in occupational groups were as follows: Professional and managerial 40, clerical and sales 300, service jobs 52, skilled work 283, semi-skilled 348, unskilled and other 2,402, Applicant-Holding Clearance Placements 40.

The employment service here anticipates continued heavy demand for workers in view of the present manpower shortage, it was said.

## Penn'a Power And Light Rate Schedule Oked

Harrisburg, Jan. 15 — (P)—Eleven-year-old complaints against Pennsylvania Power and Light company electric, gas and steam heating rates were dismissed today by the Public Utility Commission in a 3-2 decision which a utility commissioner claimed opened the way for a \$36,000 rate boost.

The 52-page majority order found present rates "not unjust, unreasonable or productive of an excessive return to the company and that the utility's 1942 earned return was \$3,174,718 against an allowable \$13,337,650 on its three services.

The bigger job was being done by scarcely more than 400,000 men. Coal diggers in Pennsylvania kept pace with or even surpassed the national effort. Twelve western Pennsylvania counties including Fayette and Washington, two of three largest soft-coal producing counties in the nation, have dug some 90 million tons this year, as compared with 85 millions last year. The Solid Fuels Administration said strikes caused a production loss of 1,300,000 tons during the year.

Philadelphia had a labor nightmare the week of Jan. 1-7 when a strike of 6,000 employees of the Philadelphia Transit Co. tied up all transportation in the city of 2,000,000. It caused an estimated 15 per cent slump in vital war production, resulted in hospitalization of 14 persons injured in racial clashes, and cost merchants \$5,000,000 in business, strikers \$250,000 in wages and the transit company \$650,000 in revenue.

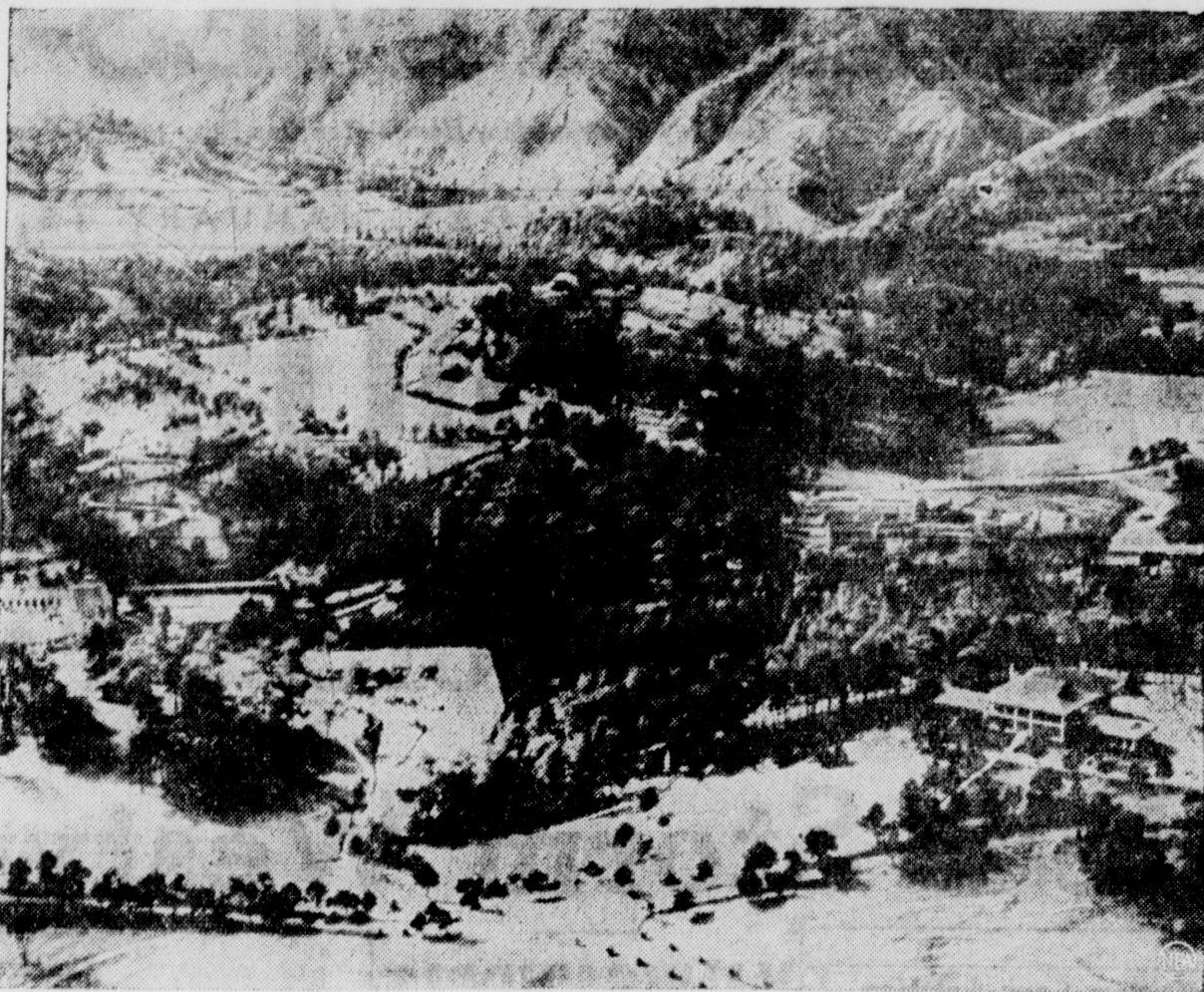
The army moved in Aug. 3 and troops were placed on all cars to keep order. A work-or-be-fired ultimatum effective Aug. 7 was issued and 95 per cent of the strikers returned to their jobs. Civilian control was reestablished Aug. 17. Thirty PTC workers were indicted on charges of violating the War Labor disputes act. The cases are pending.

Worry or optimism about the state's industrial future marked many conferences of the last year. Pittsburgh considered plans for spending \$5,000,000 a year on public works for the first 10 years after the war. Other communities developed similar programs.

The Civil Aeronautics Administration sent to congress a billion dollar postwar program of airport construction and improvement, which included \$46,667,000 for 271 projects in Pennsylvania, the work to be completed in 5 or 10 years after the war.

Baked elephant's foot is one of the greatest food delicacies of the African bushman.

## Luzon Resort Under Yank Bombardment



U. S. flyers have plastered with bombs the Luzon mountain resort town of Baguio, summer capital of the Philippines, and thought to be the seat of Japanese leaders on the island. In background of airview, above, of Baguio, taken before the war, can be seen the former U. S. Army post, Camp Hay.

## Obituary

Unless otherwise stated, visiting hours at Warren's funeral homes are from 10 a. m. to 12; 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.

### MRS. ELTON ALLEN

Funeral services in memory of Ellen Louise Allen, 225 Oneida avenue, were held from the Leo D. Gibson Funeral Home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Beecher M. Rutledge, of Trinity Memorial church, officiated.

Commitment was made in the Wrightsville cemetery, with George Abbott, Leslie Allen, Earl Wilson, Earl Lawrence, William Weaver and Frank Crosby acting as bearers.

Attending from away were Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Allen, Mrs. Ernest Faust and Earl Wilson, of Lottsville; Mrs. Anna Nelson, Brookston, and Mrs. Helen Bailey, Ridgway.

### U. S. ROGERS

Funeral services in memory of Ulysses S. Rogers, 320 Crescent Park, were held at the Lutz Funeral Home at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, in charge of Rev. Wayne Furman, pastor of First Methodist church.

Ritual of War Commandery, No. 63, Knights Templar, was in charge of Philip Peabody, commander; Myron F. Buzard, prelate; Harold T. Flower, captain general, and the following members of the commandery acted as bearers for interment in Westlawn cemetery at Columbus: William A. Covert, Harold M. McNulty, Guy A. Eddis, Victor A. Anderson, Merle I. Sterling and Leo L. Giese.

Those who came from away were his daughter, Miss Madeline Rogers, Jamestown, N. Y.; his son, Dr. Herman Rogers, and family, of Scotch Plains, N. J.; Mrs. Ruby Fuller and Mrs. Charles Rogers, Scio, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Winterhalter, Mrs. Gerald Babcock, Belmont, N. Y.; L. C. Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humphrey, Jean Barling, Dr. and Mrs. Earl McLean, Bradford; Mrs. J. R. Pace, Salamanca, N. Y.

### O. C. OLSON

Final rites for Ole Christ Olson, well known Clarendon merchant, were held at two o'clock Friday afternoon at the Peterson Funeral Home, conducted by Rev. L. V. Mohrman, with Rev. Harold Knappenberg assisting. Interment was made in Oakland cemetery with Charles Schneider, Frank Nelson, Ronald Fredericks, H. W. Valachi, Arthur Carmony and Gilbert Nelson acting as bearers.

Attending from out of town were Mrs. George Lewton, Cleveland, O.; Cpl. T. Warren Johnson, Indian town Gap; Mrs. Arthur Christenson, Mrs. Henry Christenson, Mrs. Harry Jones, Mrs. Elmer Gustafson, Mrs. Henry Christenson, Mrs. Harry Jones, Mrs. Elmer Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. George Armagost, Jamestown, N. Y.

### MRS. G. M. BORG

Services in memory of Jennie Borg, wife of G. M. Borg, were held at three o'clock Saturday afternoon at the family home, 102 Canton street, followed by interment in Oakland cemetery. Rev. Nore Gustafson, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, conducted the rites, during which T/5 and Mrs. F. Everett Borg sang two hymns, "In the Garden" and "The Old Rugged Cross". Acting as bearers were Glenn Baird, Fred Healy, Frank Carlson, William Smith, Harold Johnson and Kermit Vicander.

Present from away were T/5 and Mrs. F. Everett Borg, Fort Belvoir, Va.; Capt. Paul Borg, Miami, Fla.; Pvt. Marion Gott, Chanute Field, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Gunner Swanson, Jamestown, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Vicander, Mrs. Marjorie Horner, Mrs. Carolyn Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Newgreen, Donna Horner, Youngsville; Pvt. Charles Horner, Fort Meade, Md.

### ELIZABETH SCHMIDEL

Mrs. Elizabeth Schmiedel, formerly of Ridgway, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Yonkie, 14 West Wayne street, last evening. She was born July 17, 1865, in Germany and came to this country at the age of seven years. She had been affiliated with the Evangelical Lutheran church at Ridgway for 69 years. She was the widow of Ferdinand Schmiedel and

## Paper Collection is Second Largest in County's History

According to a report issued this morning by W. T. Corbett, County Salvage Chairman, the recent paper collection was the second largest in the history of Warren County's war effort. Warren borough and Glade Township yielded a total of 66,000 pounds or 33 net tons, all of which was sorted and tied in good shape.

A faithful corps of volunteer workers did the job, including trucks and men from Warren Borough, Warren Disposal, and Valentine Disposal. The Salvation Army also furnished a truck, and men were supplied by the Pennsylvania Electric Company, the Warren Water Company, and the Warren County Commissioners, as well as Mr. Hart Willey and Mr. Raymond Dickinson. The

volume of paper was so large that one truck worked until after 7:00 p. m., while borough trucks were compelled to complete the job on Thursday morning.

Youngsville collected 14,000 pounds, or 7 tons, under the energetic direction of Elton D. Barton, Chairman, and his co-workers. Russell collected 4,000 pounds through the schools and the Boy Scout Organization. There are many schools throughout the county yet to be heard from.

As the final details of the paper drive are being wound up, Warren County is preparing for its second big 1945 salvage effort, the collection of processed tin cans to be held Wednesday, January 17, throughout the county. It is hoped that no less than a full carload of cans will be secured.

## Times Topics

**TO ATTEND FUNERAL**  
Members of the American Legion Auxiliary are asked to meet at 3 p. m. Tuesday at the First Presbyterian church to attend the funeral of Kenneth W. Davis.

**TO RESCUE DOG**  
A telephone call to the Central Fire station shortly before 11 o'clock sent the emergency truck to a point opposite the old Conewango Refinery where a dog was marooned on an island. The firemen responded and succeeded in taking off the animal.

### NAMED FOR COUNTY

In line with the plan of the U. S. Navy to name transports and cargo ships for counties in the various state Pennsylvania counties, among them Warren county has been so honored. Some of the vessels have already been engaged in important operations. They are usually used in landing operations supporting amphibious actions. Other counties for which ships have been named are: Cambria, Clinton, Westmoreland, Venango, Wayne, Montour, Somerset and others.

### Personal Paragraphs

M. R. Papavero left Sheffield this morning for Harrisburg where tomorrow he will witness Auditor General F. Clair Ross receive the oath of office for Superior Court Justice. A dinner honoring Mr. Ross will be given at that place in the evening by his employees.

I. J. Reed received word Sunday of the death of his brother, E. C. Reed, at St. Petersburg, Fla. Mr. Reed had been ill for some time and he was well known in this city having at various times visited his brothers, I. A. Reed and Harry A. Reed in Warren.

Clementine Carrier, 102 Pennsylvania avenue, west, who slipped on the ice and fell from the porch at her home on Saturday was x-rayed at Warren General Hospital and a splint applied when it was found she had fractured her right arm.

Miss Jo Russo has returned after spending the past week in Pittsburgh.

State Senator L. E. Chapman and Assemblyman Allen Gibson left last evening for Harrisburg where they will attend the session of the State Legislature which opens today. State Senator Chapman has had a bill prepared authorizing an appropriation of \$100,000 for the formation of a hospital and research laboratory for cancer treatment and research. It will be introduced soon into the Legislature.

Miss Mary Alice Conklin, a teacher in the Cranberry Township High School, Venango county spent the weekend in the city the guest of her mother, Mrs. Florence Conklin, Poplar street.

Breech loading rifles were first used in the Revolutionary War, but not by American troops.

The United States had three presidents in one month, Martin Van Buren, William Henry Harrison and John Tyler.

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**Grange News**

**PLEASANT UNIT HAS INSTALLATION**

At the installation meeting of Pleasant Grange Thursday evening, Merle Schweitzer and his staff of Diamond Grange installed the following officers: master, Glenn Kiser; overseer, Madeline Peterson; lecturer, Mrs. Chapman; steward, Mary King; assistant steward, Herman Wert; chaplain, Stella Saylor; treasurer, Mary Owens; secretary, Gladys Schwab; gatekeeper, Roscoe Knapp; Ceres, Mary Glenn; Pomona, Pauline Wentz; Flora, Helen Schumann; lady assistant steward, Victoria Wert; executive committee member, Walter Schumann.

At the close of the business meeting, a social hour was enjoyed with a tureen luncheon.

**DIAMOND GRANGE**

Members of Diamond Grange will meet tomorrow night at eight o'clock, with initiations in the first and second degrees. Lunch will be served by the committee, but everyone is asked to bring his own sugar.

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The same flat, Polish plains that made invasion of Poland so easy for Hitler's mechanized hordes in 1939 now stand as a threat to Berlin. Map above also shows how all transportation routes converge on the German capital.



The German bulge in Belgium is shrinking fast as Von Rundstedt's forces withdraw under steady Allied hammering. Dotted line shows farthest penetration; heavy line, approximate front now.

## 'Slip' King Performs Errand of Mercy With Plane Saturday

Gust Lawson, a resident of the Fox Hill District in Pine Grove Township was transported from his home to the Warren General Hospital by a plane piloted by V. S. (Slip) King, about 11 o'clock Saturday morning and removed from the airport to the Warren General Hospital by the Lutz Ambulance.

On Friday morning neighbors of Mr. Lawson reported to Judge Allison D. Wade that the roads leading from the Lawson home to Russell were blocked with snow, and Mr. Lawson was seriously ill and in great need of medical attention and hospitalization. The problem of transporting the sick man to the hospital appeared desperate since the roads were impassable and the only access to the spot where the sick man lay was by foot through deep snow drifts. Judge Wade then got in touch with Civil Air Patrol and it was learned that the house was located adjacent to a large field and the possibility of landing an aircraft on the field was considered.

Local Officers of Civil Air Patrol then contacted Mr. King, manager of the Warren Airport, presented the problem to him and Mr. King and his son LeGrande made a flight to the location of the Lawson home on Friday afternoon, despite the fact that the visibility conditions were not of the best and the snow on the fields was wet from the thaw. A landing was made and it was decided that the sick man could be safely transported early Saturday if the weather held and the temperature dropped. Accordingly Saturday morning, after securing approval of the physician in charge and the family and after arrangements had been made for the preparation of the patient for a trip to the hospital by air, V. S. King and his son LeGrande made the flight to Fox Hill and the patient was placed in the plane and returned to the Warren Airport where the plane was met by the

Lutz Ambulance and the patient transferred to the Ambulance and removed to the Warren General Hospital. A second trip was then made by Mr. King to Fox Hill to pick up his son who was left behind when Mr. Lawson was placed in the airplane.

The skill of the pilot is to be commended and Warren is to be congratulated in having aerial equipment at hand and a skilled pilot to operate it in such an emergency. Mr. Lawson is reported as resting comfortably none the worse for his experience.

Erie, Jan. 15.—(P)—Louis Raub and his ski-equipped plane went on a third mission of mercy Saturday and brought three-year-old Alex Slipcevic to the hospital from his snowbound home in Harbor Creek. The child, who suffered an ear abscess following an attack of scarlet fever, was reported in good condition at Farrow Osteopathic Hospital today.

Raub, an amateur pilot, brought Joyce Childster, 9, also of Harbor Creek, to the hospital Thursday for an emergency appendectomy. Officials at Hamot Hospital said she was improving steadily today. Last week, Raub flew another child into Erie for treatment of an infected finger.

The 400 army men battling Erie county's snow continued their efforts to release the \$3,000,000 worth of storm-locked war materials.

First worsted mill in Bradford, England, was erected nearly 150 years ago.

### National Forest Timber For Sale

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor at Warren, Pa., up to 2:00 p. m. January 23, 1945 for all the live white ash timber marked or designated for cutting and all the merchantable dead white ash timber located on an area embracing 120 acres in Warrens 1009 and 1010, Pleasant Township, Warren County on the watersheds of Grunder Run and Allegheny River, Allegheny National Forest, Pa. estimated to be 35 M board feet, more or less. No bid will be considered of less than \$38.00 per M bd. ft. One thousand dollars (\$1000.00) must be submitted with each bid to be applied to the purchase price, refunded or retained in part as liquidated damages according to conditions of the sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Before any bids are submitted, a prospective bidder should examine the system of marking on the sale area. Full information concerning the timber, conditions of sale and submission of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor at Warren, Pa. or from the District Ranger at Sheffield, Pa. The District Ranger will arrange to show this timber to interested parties.

### ADMINISTRATION NOTICE

Letters Testamatory on the Estate of Charles L. Henry, late of the Borough of Youngville, Warren County, Pa., deceased, having been this day granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them to the undersigned, properly authenticated for settlement.

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### Times Topics

#### CEMETERY MEETING

A meeting of the trustees of St. Joseph's Cemetery Association will be held Tuesday evening, January 16 at 7:30 o'clock in the office of the cemetery building.

#### LEGION TO PAY RESPECTS

Past Commanders and members of Chief Cornplanter Post, American Legion, will meet at the Lutz funeral home this evening at 7:30 o'clock to pay final tribute to their late Comrade Kenneth W. Davis.

#### CITIZENS COMMITTEE NOTICE

Members of the Citizens Committee are requested to meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Lutz funeral home to join with the American Legion in paying final respects to Kenneth W. Davis.

#### SIGNS OF SPRING?

Ordinarily one takes robins, pussywillows and the like as sure harbingers of springtime but when they arrive in the back yard in the dead of winter and the kind of weather we have been experiencing of late—just what do they mean? That is the question being asked by William and David Farr, sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Farr, 1808 Pennsylvania avenue, west, whose latest find in this category includes a live caterpillar and three robins.

#### REMINDER FROM BOARD

The local war price and rationing board starts off the week with this little memorandum to motorists: When you received your new "A" book, you received the new Mileage Rationing Record, which was to take the place of the old tire inspection record. Remember? When you apply for "B" or "C" books or their renewals, mail the record in, attached to your application and your new book will be mailed to you and the record returned to you.

#### AT THE HOSPITAL

Visiting Hours:  
2:00 to 3:00-7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

**Admitted Friday**  
Mrs. Anne Mulvey Brown, 17 North Irvine street.  
Mrs. Nina Haight, Sugar Grove.  
Mrs. Helen Rodgers, North Warren.

**Discharged Friday**  
Fred Cotterman, Tidioute.  
Mrs. Phyllis Sharp, 101½ Elm street.

**Admitted Saturday**  
Florence Schnell, 126 Pennsylvania avenue, west.  
Linda Bidwell, 1 Kenmore street.  
Phil Saglimbene, 20 SoSouth Carver street.

**Discharged Saturday**  
Roger Lake, Youngsville.  
August Anderson, 8 Malvina street.

**Admitted Sunday**  
Nils Lawson, Russell.  
Elmer Peterson, 718 West Fifth avenue.

**Discharged Sunday**  
Mrs. Eva Arp, Youngsville.  
Mrs. Nina Haight, Sugar Grove.  
Herman Schlaack, Akeley.

**Admitted Sunday**  
Melvin Rosenkrantz, Tidioute.  
Mrs. Marie Smith, 402 Fourth avenue.

**Discharged Sunday**  
Mrs. Blanche Kennedy, Corydon.  
Linda Bidwell, 1 Kenmore street.  
John J. Retzer, 112 Central avenue.

**Admitted Sunday**  
Russell Bailey, 215 Canton street.  
Florence Schnell, 126 Pennsylvania avenue, west.  
F. M. Urbanski, Russell.  
Mrs. Ethel Dimmy and baby, Youngsville.

**Discharged Sunday**  
Mrs. Anne Mulvey Brown, 17 North Irvine street.

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Letters Testamatory on the Estate of Anna B. Rossman, late of the Borough of Warren, Warren County, Pa., deceased, having been this day granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them to the undersigned, properly authenticated for settlement.

John G. Rossman, Executor,  
Warren, Pa.  
Alexander, Clark & Stewart, Attys.  
Warren, Pa.  
January 3, 1945.  
Jan. 8-13-22-29, Feb. 5-12-16.

## Chicago Bus Ditched By Truck Wreck

Due to an accident to a large trailer truck Saturday afternoon near the railroad crossing west of the city near old FN tower the Chicago bus on the Greyhound line was ditched. The truck owned by W. Chatterton Company, of Sharon and driven by Sam S. Fair, of Sharon, jack-knifed between the New York Central and Pennsylvania tracks when the driver applied brakes. The big machine was loaded with three inch pipe making a heavy load. The truck endeavored to pass the wrecked truck and skidded into a ditch. None of the passengers were hurt and after trucks had pulled the bus onto the highway the passengers climbed aboard and the machine continued.

State police took charge of the situation and directed traffic for some time. Wrecker crews finally got the big trailer truck into position and the driver continued east with his load. Little damage was done to either the trailer truck or the big bus. Traffic was snarled for a time but soon moved under direction of the police.

## Scouters Will Hear Speaker of Prominence

Judson G. Jussell, Deputy Regional Scout Executive, will be the principal speaker of the annual meeting of the Warren County Council when it convenes tonight at the North Warren Community House. The annual dinner meeting is scheduled to get under way at 6:30 p. m., according to Dr. Leonard Rosenzweig, chairman of the annual meeting program committee. It is expected that the meeting will attract a large audience of Scouters and friends of Scouting.

Mr. Jussell became Deputy Regional Executive on November 1st, last year, having served as Field Scout Executive in Akron, Ohio, from 1932 to 1940, and Scout Executive at Springfield, Illinois from 1940 to November 1944.

He was born in Akron in January 1908. He came up through the ranks of Scouting to the rank of Eagle Scout, has served as Assistant Scoutmaster, Scoutmaster, and Senior Scout Leader. A graduate of Akron University where he majored in Physical Education, earning a B. E. degree. In college he particularly prepared himself for a professional career in Scouting. A graduate of the 31st National Training School for Scout Executives. He is an active church worker, as well as other worthy community activities. He is a father of three boys.

During 1929 and 1930, Mr. Jussell travelled extensively through the Philippines, China, and Japan.

Many local Scouters will remember Mr. Jussell as the leader of the group of Akron Senior Scouts which used to hike through the Allegheny National Forest each summer, starting from Sheffield.

It is expected that he will have a message of interest and importance for the Scouters assembly this evening.

## Dry Cleaning Plant Damaged By Brief Blaze

An alarm of fire Friday evening called the department to the dry cleaning plants of the Willis Dry Cleaning plant on Pennsylvania avenue, west. The firemen made a quick run and soon had the fire which was among a quantity of clothing hung on racks quenched. The loss is estimated by the Chief of the Fire Department at about \$2000.

Just how the fire originated is problematical. Employees of the dry cleaning concern feel that it was due to a short in an electric wire. Firemen however are inclined to think that the fire came from a spark from a cigarette. The clothing which was destroyed or damaged had just been dry cleaned and hung on hangers preparatory to pressing.

In an effort to prevent a halt or delay in the work of the company repairs are under way at the plant today.

## UNCLE SAM TO HAND OUT 32,000,000 EXTRA RED POINTS

The greatest windfall of extra red points ever is going this month, and each month following, to American housewives throughout the country.

32 million extra red points approximately will be handed out by meat dealers to customers who turn in used fats in a great Victory drive for this essential of medicines, gunpowder, synthetic rubber, soap, paints and a hundred other necessities on the battlefield and home front. For each pound of fats turned in, every housewife is entitled to 2 red points.

The need for used fats is still urgent. Women are urged to save every drop, every spoonful of grease possible and keep saving until final Victory over both Germany and Japan.

**YOUR WASTE PAPER MAKES BOMB BANDS —KEEPS ADOLF AWAKE**

## WACS Needed in Medical Field of United States Army

Stressing the need for women to serve in the medical field of the Army, in line with the tenor of the recent message of the President of the United States, Lt. Colonel Jack B. Dunn, Commanding Officer of WAC Recruiting in the Third Service Command, last week personally addressed a conference in Pittsburgh attended by all WAC recruiting personnel in western Pennsylvania. Women who join the WAC and enter the Medical Department of the Army will have the opportunity to serve either in hospitals caring for our battle casualties in this country and abroad, or in the rehabilitation centers maintained for our soldiers returned from overseas.

The newly enlisted Wacs, upon reporting for active duty approximately three weeks after she takes the oath of service, will receive six weeks of basic training either at Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., or at Ft. Des Moines, Iowa. Then, if she is to work in the Medical Department, she will receive three months of schooling in the theories involved in her work and in actual hospital duty. This education could well become the foundation for a career after the war.

Her training will be of a highly technical nature, equivalent to civilian schooling which would normally cost about \$1000. Upon graduation she will be assigned to a hospital. There she will be a technician and take her place in the laboratory, the surgical room, the X-ray room, the dental clinic, the physiotherapy department, or the ward.

Wacs with the Medical Department operate X-ray equipment, perform basal metabolism tests, type and cross-match blood, do research work, shape artificial limbs, keep medical records, instruct patients, and perform scores of other duties. They not only work with the equipment and drugs of the hospital, but they also restore self-confidence to the wounded and disabled soldiers and broaden their horizons. Medical service is a humane art and one that all women understand instinctively.

Requirements for enlistment are that the applicant must be a woman between the ages of 20 and 50 years, with at least two years of high school education, and with no dependents under the age of 14 years.

On Tuesday, from 2 until 7 p. m., a special staff of recruiters from the Erie WAC Recruiting Office will maintain offices in the Y.W.C.A. in Warren. Members of the unit will be Lt. Esther Potts, Recruiting Officer, Sgt. Claude A. Van Andel and Cpl. Zella M. Kutcher. They are visiting Warren despite hazardous road conditions for the express purpose of interviewing women interested in the WAC. It is YOUR duty to contact them!

The proposed job evaluation plan which would have meant eight cents an hour more for approximately 1,000 operating and maintenance employees of the Pennsylvania Electric Co., stood rejected Friday by the Third regional War Labor board on the grounds that it does not meet national wage stabilization provisions.

Labor members dissented from the board action which, it was said, was taken without prejudice to the right of the firm and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 459, 521, 30, 906, 1124 and 1265, representing the employees, to file a new request.

The Pennsylvania Electric Co. is a public utility supplying electric power, gas, steam heat, coal and water in the counties of Cambria, Centre, Clarion, Clearfield, Crawford, Erie, Forest, Indiana, Jefferson, McKean, Somerset, Venango, Warren and Westmoreland, with main offices situated in Johnstown, Pa.

Under the board's instructions, the new plan as modified should



## G. I. Johnny does some Post-War Planning

Battle-zone shaves are apt to be rough and tough, so don't frown down the wishful thinking of this stubble-chinned private as he used the cold-water, scrape-and-pull method.

He's thinking now of the civilized comforts of his own Home of Tomorrow and the magical conveniences that will be his from that little blue economy-flame,—GAS!

High up on the list of his dreams-to-come-true is that happy time when hot-water will speed his "once-over-lightly" . . . when hot tub-soaks will revitalize tired nerves and muscles . . . when K. P. will be but a memory . . . and a clean shirt will not be an event.

G. I. Johnny's home comforts will be many but none more welcome than the quick-flowing, always-hot water he'll get from his post-war Ruud Automatic Gas Water Heater that keeps hot water pure and rust-free in a long-lasting tank of solid Monel.

It's worth planning for!



### Your Committee of Three

This is your post-war planning committee for your hot water supply in your own Home of Tomorrow. All three—Gas, Monel and Ruud—are now in their country's service, but at the war's end you'll find them together again, working to a common purpose,—to give you a perfect, low-cost hot water service.



## PENNSYLVANIA GAS COMPANY

result only in a "nominal increase" in the weighed average rates and relating all job rates to a \$1.10 or \$1.11 an hour rate for the first-class linemen instead of the \$1.185 as provided for in the original plan submitted to the board.

The board majority explained that a study of wage rates in other public utility firms revealed that the present \$1.07 paid by the Philadelphia Electric Co. for first-class linemen compared favorably with the rates paid by similar

companies in the area for the same job. On the basis of the study, the board found that no general increase was warranted under the National Wage Stabilization.

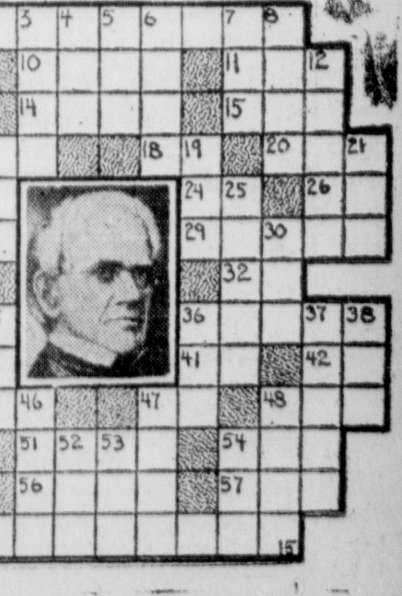
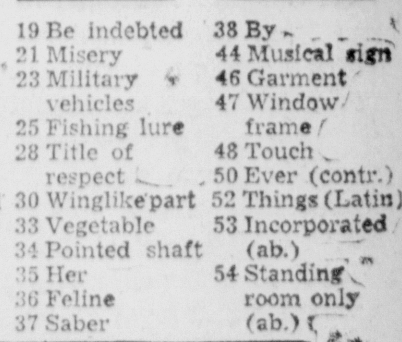
Owing to the air resistance, it takes about 19 seconds for a bomb to reach the earth when dropped from an airplane a mile high.

There are usually about 3000 volumes in the library of a battle ship.

### Educator

- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 Pictured
  - 2 famed educator, —
  - 3 Standard of value
  - 4 Painful
  - 5 Over (contr.)
  - 6 Dined
  - 7 Paradise
  - 8 Golf device
  - 9 High card
  - 10 Barium (symbol)
  - 11 Accomplish
  - 12 Morning
  - 13 Moisture
  - 14 Musical note
  - 15 Toward
  - 16 Weight (ab.)
  - 17 Behold!
  - 18 Literary composition
  - 19 Eradicate
  - 20 Within
  - 21 Oleum (ab.)
  - 22 Recreation areas
  - 23 Grasp
  - 24 Erbium (symbol)
  - 25 Be quiet!
  - 26 Aluminum (symbol)
  - 27 U.
  - 28 Part of circle
  - 29 Out of (prefix)
  - 30 Street (ab.)
  - 31 Pro
  - 32 Suffix
  - 33 Operative solo
  - 34 Weight of

- VERTICAL**
- 1 Despire
  - 2 Native metal
  - 3 On the ocean
  - 4 Kind of fish
  - 5 Before
  - 6 Fix
  - 7 Negative word
  - 8 Require
  - 9 Sets pace
  - 10 Staggers
  - 11 Exist
  - 12 Lad
  - 13 Indebted
  - 14 Misery
  - 15 Military vehicles
  - 16 Fishing lure
  - 17 Title of respect
  - 18 Winglike part
  - 19 Vegetable
  - 20 Pointed shaft
  - 21 Her
  - 22 Feline
  - 23 Saber
  - 24 Musical sign
  - 25 Garment
  - 26 Window/ frame/
  - 27 Touch
  - 28 Ever (contr.)
  - 29 Things (Latin)
  - 30 Incorporated (ab.)
  - 31 Standing
  - 32 Things (Latin)
  - 33 room only (ab.)
  - 34 Leaders



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SUGAR GROVE

Sugar Grove, Jan. 12—Mrs. Delmar Mickelson was hostess to the postponed meeting of the W. S. C. S. at her home Thursday afternoon. Sixteen members and three guests were present. Mrs. Mickelson presided at the meeting which opened with singing and prayer by Mrs. Carleton Foss. The group voted to accept the budget to be the same as last year and voted to give twenty-five dollars to the Crusade for Christ Service. Mrs. Frank Dorn was appointed to act on the union day of Prayer Service. Mrs. John Mahan conducted the devotion on the subject "Behold I Have Set Before Thee An Open Door, a thought for the New Year. Mrs. Frank Conklin at the piano, Mrs. Stahlberg as soloist, and Mrs. Lewis Barlow taking part. Mrs. Roy Briggs had charge of the program on the subject "Open Doors with the members present taking part. The hostess served refreshments. Mrs. Gerald Miller entertained

the N. B. Club Thursday night with two tables of bridge being played, with Mrs. Burt Schoonover receiving high score. Mrs. Paul Getts was a guest. Mrs. Stuart Anderson entertained the Bridge Club Monday night. Guests were Mrs. M. L. Johnson and Mrs. Delmar Mickelson. Mrs. Scott Stuart received high score for the evening. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Haggerty in serving refreshments. Mrs. Arthur Cody will entertain the next meeting.

The Womens Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet next Thursday afternoon with Mrs. M. L. Johnson and Mrs. Guy Summerson.

Some mushrooms are so delicate that they are to be found only between dawn and sunrise.

A soldier needs 306 pounds of meat in a year, but the average civilian needs only 172 pounds.

At one time bachelor was used to mean a novice or a person of inferior degree.

MP Finds Enemy Fire Is Less Trying Than a Pretty Girl in a Jeep, But Meet Situation

By NEA Service

With the 28th Infantry Division in Germany, Jan. 12—That old jibe, "This place must be safe—the MPs are here," isn't used by front-line troops of this outfit nowadays. If some GI does make such a sneering remark about the combat military police you can automatically peg him as a novice because he simply hasn't been around long enough to know what he's talking about.

A quick survey of the 28th's MP platoon will reveal to skeptics that combat MPs are not just traffic cops or killjoys who place "off limits" signs at the edge of towns. They're actually fighting soldiers and they can show you records to prove it. Some of them can show you Purple Hearts that weren't won back in the rear areas.

When the first doughboys of this



An MP combat team rounds up sacred horses in a French town. The animals bolted when the roar of Yank armored vehicles racing through the town frightened them. Trained to shift for themselves, MPs face front-line dangers in addition to such police problems as traffic control.

division fought their way into the outskirts of Percy, France, and deployed along the streets to search out snipers, seven MPs were waiting for them inside the town. The MPs had moved into Percy to control traffic only to find that the traffic hadn't caught up with them yet. So they helped the infantrymen round up the remaining snipers before setting down to policing traffic.

Near Florenceville, Belgium, three MPs were assigned to work with a task force. Their jeep was third in the column, the first being a light tank. As they were moving down a road a Jerry anti-tank gun let loose and knocked out the light tank. The MPs jumped from their jeep and ran into the brush at the edge of the road. The situation was relayed back to our artillery, which quickly knocked out the anti-tank gun.

At Gathemo, France, Pvt. Harry Rowe, Pardon, Pa., was at a traffic control post about 300 yards behind the main line of resistance. He had been on duty only a few minutes and hadn't had time to dig a slit trench. Suddenly the Jerries opened up with 88 mm. fire. The first shell burst about 25 yards away. Rowe dashed to the shell hole and jumped in. Another shell hit about 30 yards to his left. He sprinted to that hole and hit the bottom. Asked later why he shuttled from hole to hole he said, "I've always heard that shells never hit twice in the same place". Testimony to the fact that

MPs must be rugged to handle their jobs is the fact that all but six men in the division's MP platoon wear on their feet directing traffic for more than two days straight—a total of 52 hours. This happened when the division was making a movement of about 100 miles during the German retreat toward the Seine.

However, MPs are hand-picked not only for their physical fitness but also for their ability to handle ticklish situations with firm tact. In addition to enforcing "off limits" regulations in liberated or captured towns there have been numerous occasions when they have had to settle altercations among civilians. One such case was in a Belgium town, where an MP saw two civilians arguing. One called the other a Nazi collaborator and the other protested so vigorously that the two men soon were fighting in the middle of the street. The MP broke it up.

During the 28th Division's Liberation Day parade through Paris a tremendous problem was keeping the hysterically happy Parisians from blocking the parade route down the Champs Elysees. "When you have to pull a pretty girl out of a jeep, carry her to the curb and set her down—that requires tact," one MP said. Combat MPs are taught to shift for themselves, because it often is necessary for a traffic control team to spend several days at an isolated road junction far from mess lines and bivouac areas. Often these three or four man teams are stationed within 300

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**Young Doctor Merry**  
by PEGGY GADDIS  
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Chapter 22.

I was almost lunchtime when Meredith got back to her office. As she opened the door a man turned to face her.

"Mornin', Dr. Merry," Dan Lacey greeted her. "I've been waiting quite a spell for you."

"I'm sorry, Mr. Lacey—but since I have only just got back to town, and am leaving again this afternoon, I am not holding office hours. If you'll go out to the hospital—" Dan Lacey's gesture silenced Meredith.

"It's not my health that's worrying me," said Dan. "I stopped in here to see you about this—hocus-pocus you're trying to work on Jerry Butler."

"I'm sorry it isn't a hocus-pocus, Mr. Lacey," said Meredith. "Jerry's a very sick boy."

"You needn't pull that on me, Dr. Merry. It won't go over," said Dan grimly. "Funny thing, I knew that husband of yours was pretty fond of himself and convinced of his own importance. But I never knew that you'd use your medical profession to help him. Seems a little funny a man with Hugh Prather's money would be so interested in getting to be boss of a little town like River Gap—unless he had a lot to cover up."

Meredith flashed, "What do you mean by that?"

"We-e-e, of course I don't believe it myself," drawled Dan Lacey in his most irritating, insolent manner, "but there are people around town that are sort of inclined to believe that Prather's the fellow backing the moonshiners and running the taverns he gets so hot up about!"

MEREDITH set her teeth and drew her breath. If she told Dan the truth, he would broadcast it far and wide. No, she couldn't tell Dan!

Dan caught up his coonskin cap with the earmuffs, and said menacingly, "Well, I guess you're going to be able to get away with carrying Jerry away. I hear you're going with Jerry. That's right smart of you, Dr. Merry. You'll miss the unpleasantness here at home. Be a good thing if you'd take your husband with you, be-

Chapter 23

IN Miami they transferred to an ambulance plane, and Meredith was glad when at last below them they could see the palm-decorated scrap of land that was their destination.

They came to the hospital, a wide, two-story white stucco building, with a wing spreading out at either side that gave it the appearance of the letter H. Meredith saw instantly that every room in the building would be flooded with sunlight at some hour of the day.

Meredith drew a breath of keen delight as she paused for a moment on the steps and looked out over a sea as blue as Lapis Lazuli, a beach of golden yellow. Surely, any man who came here for the healing of mind and body could never hope for a more beautiful spot in which to fight out his personal battle. She felt a little better about Jerry as she turned and went in to the hospital, where a pleasant, middle-aged nurse with a captain's insignia on her uniform greeted her cordially.

"You're Dr. Blake, I'm sure," she said hospitably. "We're very glad to have you here and will try to make you comfortable."

"How could anybody be uncomfortable—unless ill or in pain—in such a lovely spot?" answered Meredith, accepting the woman's introduction with a firm handclasp.

BUT after she had gone to bed, she lay awake at night, musing about the problems he was facing back in River Gap. She welcomed eagerly each arrival of the mail, bringing with it, as it invariably did, a long and tender letter from Hugh.

From the very first letter that came, a few days after her arrival at the hospital, she sensed that Hugh was paying her the tribute of telling her the truth about how things were going at River Gap, and she thanked him with all her heart for it.

Jerry had submitted himself to treatment docilely, enduring the

cause I'm telling you now, he's never going to be elected in this town—not after this thing you're doing."

Meredith buried her head in her hands after he left. They would have to grin and bear it, she decided.

It had been decided that Jerry's departure was to be made as unobtrusive as possible. No one from the hospital was to see them off. She knew that Captain Gordon had had a long talk with Jerry earlier in the morning, but Jerry was white-faced, grim-eyed, and hostile as he got into the car where Hugh waited to drive them to the station.

On the platform, a few minutes before the train was due, they stood awkwardly. Jerry, with his hands sunk deeply into his pockets, his bitter young eyes on the track down which the train would come thundering.

There was a terrific clattering of chains on the icy road as a battered old truck slammed its way up to the platform, and a girl, hatless, wrapped in a raccoon coat, a scarf tied over her tumbled black curls, her face so white that her dark eyes looked enormous in that pallor, tumbled out of the battered car.

Isabel had eyes for no one save Jerry, and as she ran towards him, her hands outflung, she called his name in a voice shaken with shock and fear. "Jerry! Oh, Jerry, dearest—what is this crazy thing you're doing? You were going away—and not even telling me!"

"Sorry, Isabel," he said in a low voice. "I thought it was better this way—"

ISABEL, hurt and bewildered, frantic because the first sound of the approaching train was heard down the road, stammered, "Dad called me a little while ago and said you were going. I didn't have any way to get in town, and the road was so icy I was afraid to try to drive Jessie in. I started to walk and I knew I'd never make it, but I just had to try—and then Marv Stevens came by with that old Ford of his."

She clung to his arm. "Jerry, is it? Jerry? Tell me! You can't just

chance; but he's got to fight for it. And that's what he won't do! It's what we've got to make him do!"

"I see," said Meredith and was silent for a moment, while an idea was beginning to form. "Major Heard, back home in River Gap there is a girl who adores him, a girl he hoped to marry this spring. That's one reason why this hit him so hard. I know we can't bring her here—that it's out of the question. But if, some way, we could get a message from him to her—if he could hear her voice—"

"You mean telephone?" asked Major Heard swiftly.

Meredith hesitated. "No, I don't think so," she answered, thinking the matter over in all its angles. "River Gap is a small town. We have a lot of party lines; everybody in River Gap would be listening in and Isabel and Jerry would know it. I thought perhaps if she could make a record of her voice, and send it to him, we could let him play it in his own room, where only he would hear it. But for her to send him the sort of message that would do him good, she must know the truth about his illness."

Major Heard looked at her thoughtfully, frowning.

"You mean she doesn't know what's wrong with him?" he demanded.

Meredith shook her head and explained.

Major Heard nodded, his gray eyes on her steady brown ones. "That was wise, of course—the only sane course," he agreed with her. "But now you think perhaps the girl should know?"

"I believe she could be trusted," answered Meredith steadily.

Major Heard nodded. "I thought that if Dr. Nichols back home told her the truth, and swore her to secrecy, and she made a record for Jerry, a message from her heart to his—don't you think it might help?"

"I think it might," agreed Major Heard. "It is worth trying. Suppose you see about it, will you?"

To be continued

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### P. T. A. News

**CLARENDON UNIT**  
The Clarendon PTA, which met last Thursday evening, was in charge of the vice-president, C. C. Burch, in the absence of the president, Don Miller. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Miss Mary Firth. Miss Bertha Nelson's report on the Clare Tree Major play attendance was given. After the close of the business meeting, a film on railroads was shown.

**IRVINGDALE UNIT**  
Members of the Irvingdale P. T. A. will meet at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening. A large attendance is hoped for.

**WASHINGTON UNIT**  
Rev. L. V. Mohnkern, pastor of Tiona Methodist church, will be guest speaker for the January meeting of Washington PTA, to be held at the Washington school at 8 p. m. Wednesday. Music will be

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**EAST STREET UNIT**  
The first regular meeting of the new East Street PTA will be held Monday evening, November 29, at 8 p. m., with election of officers and a program in charge of Mrs. Franklin Hoff. She will present Olive A. Huff in a talk on "Community Recreation and You" and Mrs. Nestore Bartholomew will sing, accompanied by Jackson Barrell.

**IRVINGDALE UNIT**  
The January meeting of Irvingdale PTA will be held at the school at 8:15 p. m. Tuesday.

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## SOCIETY NEWS

### DAR Membership Entertained With Fine Book Review

The January meeting of General Joseph Warren Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held Thursday afternoon at the YWCA activities building. The regent, Mrs. Leon Laskaris, presided during the business session, when several important items of business were transacted. An out of town guest was Mrs. Nettie Brown, past regent of Colonel Crawford Chapter, Meadville. The program chairman, Mrs. Warren R. Carlin, introduced the guest speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. Brackett Ayers, who reviewed the book "The Way Our People Lived" by W. E. Woodward. The book is a continuous history of living in our country over a period of 300 years, is written in fictional form and is very entertaining.

Miss Harriet B. Eaton and Mrs. Carlin presided at the tea table, which was centered with crystal candelabra holding red, white and blue candles.  
Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. C. P. DeLong, chairman; Mrs. S. D. Blackman, Mrs. Carlin, Miss Eaton, Mrs. Fred Lesser, Mrs. A. N. McCausland, Mrs. P. W. M. Pressel and Mrs. Harold Wickstrom.

### Arthur Andersons Given Surprise to Mark Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Anderson were pleasantly surprised last Friday evening when friends gathered at their home to help them celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary.

They received a beautiful gift of flowers from Elmer Danielson, the latter's nephew, who is serving with the armed forces on the western front.

At a late hour refreshments were served and the honored guests were presented with a purse of money from the following:

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wessman, Joanne, Joyce and George Wessman, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Haglund, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shellin, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bick, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Danielson, Dudley and Freddie Danielson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Danielson, Mrs. Jennie Danielson, Mrs. C. O. Swanson, Miss Ellen Swanson, Miss Janet Ahlgren, Mrs. Pearl Backstrom, Mrs. Myron Rydholm, Miss Florence Danielson, Miss Lois Gustafson and Miss Rachel Anderson.

### Military Rites Of Interest Here

Miss Lucile Haupin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Haupin, of Bloomfield, N. J., became the bride of Private Richard G. Lamborn, U. S. A. F., son of Mrs. Bayard T. Lamborn, of Bloomfield, N. J., at a ceremony which took place at 5:30 p. m., January 3, 1945 at the post chapel at Lowry Field, Denver, Colorado, the Baptist chaplain, Captain W. A. Jackson, officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and Mrs. Leo Ostidick of Wichita, Kan., was matron of honor. Sergeant Leo Ostidick acted as best man. The bride was graduated from Bloomfield High School and Cornell University, and Sgt. Lamborn was also graduated at Bloomfield High School and attended Newark College of Engineering and the University of Illinois.

Both were employed at the Curtis Wright Corporation at Caldwell before Sgt. Lamborn entered the service. He is now studying aerial photography. The couple will reside in Denver until his training at that station is completed.

### BIRTHS

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**At Clarendon**  
Pvt. and Mrs. Robert Rhoades are the parents of an eight-pound son, born January 14 at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Cora Wilbur, at Clarendon. The baby has been given the name of Dewey Harold.

**In California**  
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. L. Weakley, Second Avenue, have received word of the birth of their first grandchild, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Tummons, of Redondo Beach, Calif., on January 9.

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### Social Events

#### QUAINTANCE CLASS HAS FINE MEETING

Mrs. James A. Davidson and her mother, Mrs. Peter Beck, Fifth Avenue, entertained 32 members of the First Baptist Quaintance Class on Friday evening. President Geo. Spinney conducted the meeting, when the treasurer, Mrs. Elton Waite, reported a substantial balance in the treasury at the end of the year. Mrs. Earl Wright was appointed by the president to act as chairman for the February birthday party for all church members, proceeds of which will be used for church expenditures. Mrs. Earl Burbee was named chairman of the next bake sale.

Impressive devotions had been prepared by Robert Carlson and after this prayer service, Ralph Owens was accompanied by Mrs. Clarence Swanson for singing "I Had a Little Talk With the Lord." Group singing of hymns continued the program until the social committee announced a buffet had been prepared to conclude a very pleasant evening. On the committee were Mr. and Mrs. John Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. William Lemmon and Mrs. H. Forsgren.

#### WEDDING IN OHIO OF INTEREST HERE

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sutley, of Greenville, announce the marriage of their daughter, Alice Isabelle Sutley, to Rodney Frank Allen, machinist's mate third class, of Meadville. The ceremony took place at Warren, O., on December 30 and the couple left for Corpus Christi, Texas, where the bridegroom is stationed.

The Sutleys were former residents of Warren, the bride graduating from the local high school with the Class of 1938. Since then she attended Allegheny College at Meadville and spent two years working as accountant at the Ravensenna Ordnance plant near Warren, O. Just recently she returned from Hollywood, Calif., where she had been employed.

#### STUDENT RECITAL AT CONSERVATORY

Feature selections for the regular student recital at the Conservatory of Music on Saturday evening were as follows: Saxophone solo, Ralph Brown; vocal solos, Ruth Campbell and Beverly Adams; flute solo, Dorothy Bosin.

Regular pupils appearing were Julia Cheronis, Beverly Conboy, Geraldine Peterson, Jimmy Johnson, Dean Blair, Jack Schuler, Mabel Morse, Mary and Charles Hutchings. Accompanists for the evening were Adelaide Swanson and Byron Swanson.

#### CLASSES JOIN FOR DINNER-MEETING

Spinner Class and Jefferson Men's Class members of First Presbyterian church will join for a tureen dinner-meeting at the church at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday. The new officers of the women's group comprise the committee and will provide dessert, rolls, butter, coffee and cream. Those attending are asked to bring tureens and table service. The men's committee, arranging the program, have planned to present Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Cruickshank, of North Warren, as speakers.

#### MISSIONARY GROUP

Mrs. Clarence Hepfinger was in charge of the program for the meeting of the United Brethren Missionary Society held Friday afternoon at the parsonage on Elm street, the following participating in the numbers presented: Mrs. Blanche Callahan, Mrs. Nellie Scheerer, Mrs. Nellie McWilliams, Mrs. L. E. Nason and Mrs. S. M. Caldwell. Mrs. R. H. Eggleston and her committee were responsible for the social hour and refreshments.

#### LOCAL ARTIST HAS WORK IN EXHIBIT

It is Institute in the Butler Art Institute in Youngstown, O., that the work of Gene Alden Walker (Mrs. C. J. Crarry), of Warren and New York, is included among 279 oil paintings and watercolors being shown in its tenth annual New Year Show. Over 900 works were submitted to the show, which continues all this month.

#### BETHESDA SOCIETY

Bethesda Society members will hold their regular meeting in St. Paul's Lutheran church at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, with the committee serving refreshments after the business session.

#### BLUE STOCKING CLUB

Blue Stocking Club members will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at the home of Miss Mabel Siglins, 315 Liberty street, with Miss Kate Winger as assisting hostess and Mrs. Brackett Ayers presenting the program.

#### RANSOM CIRCLE

Ruth Ransom Circle members of Grace Methodist church will meet at 7:45 p. m. Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Carl Linberg, 126 Sixth Avenue, and each is reminded to bring an article for the "white elephant" sale.

#### ELSIE ROSS CIRCLE

The Elsie Ross Circle of Grace Methodist church will meet in the Winger room at 7:45 p. m. Tuesday and all are urged to be in attendance.

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## Warren Times-Mirror

### State Represents Market Equal To All New England

Harrisburg, Jan. 15—A list of almost 200 major groups of products which Pennsylvanians buy more than two billion dollars worth each year has been compiled by the State Department of Commerce.

A digest in this list appears in direction of Secretary of Commerce the new booklet prepared under the Floyd Shelfart, which reviews the advantages which Pennsylvania offers to industries locating in this state.

Of the products listed Pennsylvania makes about a billion dollars worth, the booklet points out. Continuing, it is asserted:

"Pennsylvania, therefore, has the materials from which to make them, the proper economic conditions to make them at a profit and the home market for them. But there is a cool billion dollars worth of these products which are not now made in Pennsylvania. The way industry is being decentralized some one will make a large part of them here some day."

Industrial executives are advised

to "consider the wisdom of having a branch plant to make these products right here in the heart of this steady home market, close to the Eastern seaboard and near the tidewater gateway to the big foreign markets of the future."

"Pennsylvania itself is a bigger market than many whole nations. Pennsylvania's population of 10,000,000, with a peace-time spendable income of \$6,800,000,000, and a wartime income which has run as high as nine and one-half billions is one of America's great markets. This is a market equal to all of New England."

"With transportation a big factor in distribution costs, the wisdom of a general review of their plant locations by manufacturers with a view to taking best advantage of sources of supply, of power availability, of adequate labor, all within easy reach of the best markets, is today showing added profits to many companies who have already modernized in Pennsylvania."

### More Than Half of Land In Pennsylvania Is Still in Forests

Over half of the land area of Pennsylvania is in forests, says a report by the State Planning Board. According to a recent survey made from aerial photographs by the Allegheny Forest Experiment Station in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Department of Forests and Waters and the State Planning Board there are over 15 million acres of forests in Pennsylvania, or slightly over 52 per cent of the total land area in the State. This represents an increase of two million acres over previous estimates.

The amount of forest land in the separate counties in the State is significant as to future economic development. In Cameron County almost 93 per cent of the area is forested. Forest County has slightly over 90 per cent, Pike, Elk, McKean, Clinton, Sullivan, and Potter counties have over 80 per cent of their land in forests. One-half of the counties in the State have more than 50 per cent of their area in forest land. Only seven counties have less than 20 per cent.

Although once the leading lumber-producing state and despite this vast area of forest Pennsylvania now imports two-thirds of its lumber and half of the pulpwood for its paper industries.

Under proper management Pennsylvania forest land can balance our consumption needs and provide a surplus for export. One of our important postwar long-term jobs will be to bring this 52 per cent of the Commonwealth's area into its maximum production on a sustained yield basis.

### CHURCH NOTES

#### UNION SERIES IS CONTINUING

The union revival services of United Brethren and First Evangelical churches, being held in the latter church, will continue this week, with services nightly except Saturday at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Rodger Montague, evangelist, is assisted by his wife, piano accompanist and accordionist. All interested are welcome.

Last evening Mr. Montague preached a fine sermon on "Simplicity of the Christian Life" and sang his own special arrangement of the old familiar hymn, "The Ninety and Nine." The combined choirs of the two sponsoring churches sang "Come Unto Me." Among the guests were Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Kay evening the oldest person present will be paid special recognition and on Friday.

### THOMAS PHOTOGRAPHY

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### Reid Escapes At Morganza Last Friday

Alvin Harry Reid, 15 year old youth who hailed from Kane and who was implicated with a number of other lads in the robbery of the Johnson Grocery and the Larason store on Pennsylvania avenue, east has escaped from the Morganza Reform School. Reid was sent there by the Warren county court after he had entered a plea before Judge Allison Wade.

Reid with other boys was placed under arrest for the robberies and while in jail here he escaped. He was tracked to Kane and thence to Idgway where he was found at the home of a relative.

Anyone securing any information relative to Reid or his whereabouts is asked to immediately contact Sheriff L. E. Linder at the Court House.

### Social Events

#### LOYALTY CLASS

The Loyalty Class of Grace Methodist church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Louella Hammerbeck, 22 Plum street, at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday.

#### MEETING AT LANDER

Foster Cemetery Society members of Lander will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clara Burgett.

#### GLADE FARM WOMEN

The Glade Farm Women's Society will meet Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock with Mrs. Dana Nuhfer, R. D. 1.

"Family Night," there will be a remembrance for the largest family group.

### Times Topics

**TEACHERS TO MEET**  
The Borough Teachers Association will meet at the High School Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

#### CLASS OPENS TONIGHT

The tap dancing class for business girls will open this evening at the Williams School of Dancing. The first session will be held at 7 o'clock.

#### BOWLERS WIN AT BRADFORD

The Warren Pentecost bowling team rolled a return match with Bradford over the weekend taking four points. Del Henry had high total with 557, while Charniskey led for the Oilers with 490. Total scores were 2445 for Warren and 2285 for Bradford.

#### BROUGHT TO JAIL

Robert C. Petty, of Youngsville arrested on a charge of passing a bouncing check at a local jewelry store was brought from the State Hospital to the county jail today. Petty after his arrest told a number of fantastic stories as an evident solution to a number of local crimes. Authorities finally concluded he should be placed in the State Hospital for observation.

#### MADE CLEAN SWEEP

Sam Gerardi, who raises some fine rabbits made a clean sweep in the pens he displayed at the Jamestown Pet Show held last week. On New Zealand Whites he won First and Second on bucks and 2nd on doe. First on 6/8 buck and 3rd on 6/8 doe. First on Junior Buck and 1st on Junior doe. On Flemish Giants he won first on 6/8 Sandy Doe and 2nd on Junior fawn doe. On Chekched he took first on a Junior buck and 2nd on Junior doe. He also had the best furred rabbit in the show. The championship buck had previously been shown in the New Jersey State meet.

Everybody reads the Times-Mirror.

# HANG ON!



## AMERICA WON'T LET YOU DOWN

Blasted out of the sky in the battle for the Philippines, he waits in shark-infested waters—alone. Surely they'll send out rescue planes—surely they'll find him! Boy, what he wouldn't give for another crack at those Japs! For the chance to finish the fight.

He knows the war isn't over yet—not by a long shot. But do the folks back home know that, he wonders? Are they still working hard for victory—still buying bonds, and hanging onto the bonds they buy? Hang-

ing on for dear life, as he is now?

Ask yourself these questions before you tell him not to worry—that of course America won't let him down. Ask them again when you start to cash in a War Bond you don't absolutely need to redeem—when more and more equipment is needed to finish the fight. [Ships, tanks, planes—lots of planes. Like B-29's, costing \$600,000 in War Bonds each. Or like rescue planes.

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# Warren Takes League Opener From Meadville, 29 - 27

## Dragons' Third Quarter Spree Downs Fast Bulldog Quint; Scalise and Hammerbeck Star

Outscoring the Bulldogs, 14 to 7, in the third period, Warren triumphed in its first league start by defeating Meadville High's cagers 29-27. After trailing 14-10 at halftime, Joe Massa's crew spurred forth to decision the opening game of the District Ten, Section Two title race.

Paced by veterans Joe Scalise and Bob Hammerbeck, Warren High's Dragons jolted Reid Pierce's "Dog" quint for the locals' seventh win in nine starts and Meadville's fifth loss in eight starts. Scalise counted 13 markers with Hammerbeck close behind with 11.

Coach Joseph A. Massa's quint was held intact in the first two periods, scoring 10 points to the Bulldogs' 14. Al Chisholm, junior star of the Meadville team, paced the opponents' accurate first half attack with nine points, and the Dragons' failure to make good their attempts at the bucket placed the Meadville five on the long end of a 14-10 count at the halfway mark.

The locals insisted consistently throughout the first half on the small "dog" handwork, but the second half Dragon spearhead swept the lead from the Bulldogs and the locals marched ahead to forge out a decisive victory.

Meadville opened the last half play with two consecutive goals to increase its lead to 18-10. The Massmen lashed back with five straight field goals to dump the Bulldog lead and took over the reins holding a 20-18 margin. The Dragons continued to march ahead and continued until they held a 28-21 lead.

Before Warren could continue further, the Pierce crew closed the locals' gap and clambered to within 3 points of the local tally, 25-25, before Bob Hammerbeck dumped in a charity toss to close the Dragon scoring. Brewton, big Negro center, dropped in the final basket for the Meadville quint just before the final whistle, the

battle ending at 29-27. The Warren five outscored the Meadvilleers from the field, 12 to 9, and converted 5 out of 8 free throws. The Dragons are idle until Friday night when they entertain the Titusville Rockets in their second league encounter. On Saturday night, the locals invade Jamestown to attempt to gain revenge from the stinging 34-33 loss suffered by the Warrenites on the Beatty hardwood.

Warren (29)				
	FG	FT	PT	TP
Scalise, f.	5	3	3	13
Juliano, f.	0	0	0	0
Babcock, c.	2	0	0	4
Hammerbeck, g.	5	1	3	11
Lucia, f.	0	1	2	1
Gray, f.	0	0	0	0
Eaton, f.	0	0	0	0
Reed, f.	0	0	0	0

Totals 12 5 6 29

Meadville (27)				
	FG	FT	PT	TP
Hall, f.	1	3	6	5
A. Chisholm, f.	5	1	4	11
Brewton, c.	0	2	0	4
E. Chisholm, g.	0	3	5	3
Hoffecker, g.	0	1	1	1
Rice, c.	1	1	1	3
Harry, f.	0	0	0	0
Nigro, f.	0	0	0	0

Totals 9 9 17 27

Warren 5 14 5 29

Meadville 5 6 7 6-27

Reference—Johnson.

### SECTION TWO

Standings	W.	L.	Pct.
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WARREN 1 0 1.000

Franklin 0 1 .000

Meadville 0 1 .000

Titusville 0 0 .000

### Friday Results

WARREN 29, Meadville 27

Franklin 28, Oil City 25

### Games Next Friday

Meadville at Franklin

Titusville at Warren

## New Titleholder



## Flyers, Terrors Victors In YM Junior Loop

In the Junior YMCA City Basketball League games on Saturday, the Flyers sailed high, wide, and handsome as they swamped the Dukes 53 to 25 in the first game and the Terrors tamed the Wildcats to the tune of 45 to 34 in the second game.

The Dukes were no match for the high flying Flyers as they poured two pointers through the basket. The Flyers rolled up a 29 to 4 lead by half time and coasted in the second half to a one sided 53 to 25 win. Eckstrom of the Flyers took scoring honors with 16 points with Kleschauer of the Dukes second high with 13 points.

The second game of the afternoon found the Terrors and Wildcats staging a hectic 10 to 9 first quarter where the Terrors out in front. In the second quarter the Terrors forged ahead to a 26 to

15 lead. The lead built up by the Terrors in the second quarter pulled them through a furious second half in which each team scored 19 points to a 45 to 34 victory. Patterson and Aurillo of the Terrors were high scorers with 14 and 12 points respectively.

The final games of the warm-up round will be played next Saturday with the Terrors taking on the Dukes in the first game and the Flyers battling the Wildcats in the second game.

### First game:

Flyers				
	FG	FT	TP	

Hetrick, f. 6 0 12

Bartholomew, f. 3 1 7

Eckstrom, c. 8 0 16

Rizzo, g. 5 0 10

Weigle, g. 4 0 8

Totals 26 1 53

### Dukes

	FG	FT	TP
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De Stefano, f. 0 0 0

Kleschauer, f. 6 1 13

Valentine, c. 3 0 6

Wood, g. 2 0 4

Parks, g. 2 0 4

Hanna, f. 0 0 0

Totals 12 1 25

### Official: Jim Scalise.

Score by quarters:

Flyers 15 16 12 12-53

Dukes 0 4 10 11-25

### Second game:

Terrors				
	FG	FT	TP	

Aurillo, f. 6 0 12

Patterson, f. 7 0 14

Leonard, c. 1 0 2

Scalise, g. 3 1 7

C. Swanson, g. 5 0 10

Lucia, f. 0 0 0

Tucker, g. 0 0 0

Totals 22 1 45

### Wildcats

	FG	FT	TP
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Hampson, f. 4 0 8

A. Schler, f. 4 0 8

Cameron, c. 4 0 8

Brumagin, g. 2 0 4

D. Schuler, g. 2 2 6

Totals 16 2 34

### Official: Jim Scalise.

Score by quarters:

Terrors 10 16 14 5-45

Wildcats 9 6 6 13-34

### WEEKEND HOCKEY SCORES

By the Associated Press

Sunday—National League

Detroit 3, Toronto 0.

Montreal 6, New York 2.

Chicago 4, Boston 1.

American League

Buffalo 6, Pittsburgh 4.

Indianapolis 3, Providence 2.

Eastern League

Boston 2, Philadelphia 1.

Baltimore 3, New York 1.

SATURDAY—National League

Montreal 8, Detroit 3.

Toronto 2, Boston 1.

American League

Hershey 4, Buffalo 0.

Providence 8, Pittsburgh 3.

Eastern League

Philadelphia 5, Boston 3.

Baltimore 4, New York 3.

Pascal, when 19 years old in 1550, invented a calculating machine.

## BEHIND THE LINES

The race in the National Hockey League between the Montreal Canadiens and the Detroit Red Wings as to which team is going to attain the first place post, and stay there, is one of the hottest, loop races in quite a number of years. And, too, in the American League the competition is becoming stiffer day by day. The Buffalo Bisons leading the eastern section and the

Indianapolis Caps holding down any uprise in the western division is going to make one of the hottest and most bitterly contested playoffs in ice history. But Hershey in the eastern and Cleveland in the west aren't going to sit around and watch those two clubs carry off all the honors.

Hamline University's weekend triumph over the powerful Valparaiso quint doesn't help matters any in the Howie Schultz edict, for he was most instrumental in securing another win for the powerful Hamline five. Why all the rumpus over such a matter? Schultz plays professional baseball in the spring and summer with the Brooklyn Dodgers, and just because he is a paid athlete, some wise guys are making a lot of trouble for Schultz, his university, and every other school scheduled to play the Hamline aggregation. Schultz is playing his fourth and last season in the cage uniform of Hamline and would have had his degree in business administration had he not spent a full season with the Bums last year. He is 4-F because he is one-half inch too tall for army service—6 foot 6 inches tall—and weighs 200 pounds. His next "main event" will be on Feb. 8 when Hamline is scheduled to meet Westminster at the Boston Garden.

Estimate that the time is drawing near when the old boys root out the hip boots, wood socks, old hat and begin to clean up the red and reel and sort of scout around for some good flies lies in Don Finley's Shop on Pennsylvania Avenue, where sportsmen can get whatever he wants, providing it's available. He has on sale lots of pretty, colorful flies that a nice fellow would just scramble for. And they're hand tied—by Mr. Finley himself. You know, that's quite an art, that fly tying business. A novice could get himself into a heck of a lot of trouble if he tried that job. He'd probably have hook, feathers, and string all mixed up and have himself in such a dit-

## Fourth Period Spurt Wins For Franklin

Oil City, Jan. 12—Staging a great spurt in the fourth period, Franklin High defeated Oil City, 28-25, here tonight as the Venango county rivals opened their league season.

Some great shooting by Coley in the last frame pulled Franklin from behind as the Nursery registered 14 points to the Oilers' four.

Starting the fourth, Oil City led 21-14, but couldn't stop Franklin's closing rush.

### Franklin

	FG	FT	TP
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Heeter, f. 1 0 0 2

Cooley, f. 5 3 5 13

Stumpf, c. 3 2 2 8

Phillips, g. 2 0 1 4

Lavery, g. 0 0 0 0

Whelchel, g. 0 1 3 1

Stephander, f. 0 0 0 0

Totals 11 6 11 28

### Oil City

	FG	FT	TP
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Pearson, f. 2 0 1 4

Greenwalt, f. 0 0 0 0

Wood, c. 2 4 7 8

Slaughter, g. 4 1 3 9

Kissler, g. 2 0 1 4

Gray, g. 0 0 0 0

Bucham, f. 0 0 0 0

Totals 10 5 12 25

Franklin 4 5 14 28

Oil City 13 2 6 4-25

Reference—Hetra.

## Nelson Cops Phoenix Open; Snead Drops to 13th Spot

BY FRANK PITMAN

Phoenix, Ariz., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Peerless Byron Nelson of Toledo, Ohio, won the \$8,666 (CQ) War Bonds Phoenix Golf Open yesterday by two strokes but his victory was overshadowed by the fading of spirited Sam Snead to 13th place. Nelson pocketed \$1,333 in War Bonds.

Excellent subpar golf in the closing rounds enabled Denny Shute, 38-year-old Akron, Ohio, star, to finish second to Nelson who posted a 72-hole score of 274, ten under par. Sam Byrd, Detroit, placed third at 277 after dubbing a shot on the last hole.

Snead's unlucky finish at 289, 15

strokes off the pace—may signalize the end of a serious threat to Lord Byron's domination of competitive professional golf.

The Hot Springs, Va., gallery favorite boomed into Phoenix leading the winter tour after a spectacular comeback on the Pacific Coast following his discharge from the Navy.

Slammin' Sammy shot brilliant golf here until his back started troubling him after the first round. He was over par the last three rounds.

Genial Sammy said Saturday night he would leave the tour here but he amended the statement last night.

He announced he would continue to the next tournament this weekend in Tucson, Ariz. The Virginian said he would forego practice rounds in the hope of resting his back, but if that failed he would retire for awhile.

Bob Hamilton, Chicago, PGA champion, shot a 65 yesterday for the day's best round but a four over par 75 in the morning round kept him from finishing higher than fourth with a 278.

Five strokes back of him was the defending champion Harold (Jug) McSpaden, Sanford, Maine whose game fell apart yesterday after a sparkling 65 Saturday. (Turn to Page Ten)

## WEEKEND BASKETBALL SCORES

By the Associated Press

Westminster 81, Juniata 40.

Sampson Naval Training Center 49, Syracuse 28.

Cornell 55, Hobart 33.

Pittsburgh 58, Penn State 41.

Princeton 49, Villanova 35.

Rhode Island State 82, Connecticut 57.

Columbia 41, Yale 38.

West Virginia 41, New York U 40.

Pennsylvania 63, St. Joseph's 46.

Army 65, Colgate 38.

Florida 46, Georgia 28.

Alabama 31, Georgia Tech 26.

Kentucky 66, Michigan State 35.

DePaul 65, Western Kentucky Teachers 37.

St. John's 43, Temple 41.

North Carolina 42, Virginia 35.

Duke 60, Wake Forest 55.

Illinois 55, Michigan 37.

Wisconsin 46, Minnesota 37.

Iowa 61, Purdue 34.

Ohio State 53, Northwestern 46.

Great Lakes 57, Marquette 47.

Hamline 50, Valparaiso 43.

Oklahoma 48, Nebraska 45 (two overtimes).

## CAGE RESULTS

Scholastic

Greenville 40, Grove City 36.

Farrell 39, Ellwood City 26.

Beaver Falls 37, Sharon 36.

Erie Academy 32, Ashland 28.

Cochran 27, Titusville 25.

Erie Tech 37, Erie East 24.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON

New York, Jan. 15.—(AP)—The other day this corner reviewed some of the notable baseball events that have taken place in the historic Polo Grounds and found that space ran out long before it was time to stop . . . For the Polo

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE - with - MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams

EGAD, JASON! AS BODYGUARD TO MR. PIKE, I MAY BECOME A WALKING BULL'S-EYE! INSIDE THAT MEDIEVAL BREASTPLATE I'D SHED BULLETS AS EASILY AS NEWLYWEDS BRUSH OFF RICE! UM! WONDER IF MY CHEST IS TOO WELL DEVELOPED TO GET IT ON?

MISTAH MAJOR, EF I'M ANY SEDGE OB SIZES, AFTER EATIN' A FULL MEAL YOU'D REQUIRE A BLOWTOWCH TO EXPURGATE YOU'SEFF FUM THAT BRASS VEST! HOW 'BOUT A TAILOR-MADE TANK?

IT WOULD MASH HIS CIGARS ANYWAY.

INDIAN SQUAWS DIDN'T HAVE NO EDUCATION, BUT THEY WERE BRIGHT! WHEN THEY WAS PACKIN' HOME A LOT OF LOOK THEY PACKED THEIR KIDS IN SUCH A WAY THAT THEY WOULDN'T HAVE TO BE GOIN' TO DOCTORS ALL THEIR ADULT LIFE TO GET SPINE ADJUSTMENTS!

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

By EDGAR MARTIN

By MERRILL BLOSSER

By LESLIE TURNER

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10 Strayed, Lost, Found

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18 Horses, Cattle, Vehicles

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Wanted—Live Stock  
WANTED—To buy market chickens. Inquire Angove's Market, Pa. Ave., West. Phone 1415.

Merchandise

Articles For Sale  
4 PAIRS ice skates for sale. 320 Prospect St. Phone 1007-M.

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59 Household Goods  
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1 PORCELAIN enamel white sink, 22x36, with nickel trap. Call 789-M.

FOR SALE—Oakland No. 20 circulator heater. Phone 772-J after 7:30 evenings.

63 Wearing Apparel  
ALTO SAXOPHONE for sale. Inquire Confi Barber Shop, 806 Penna. Ave., E. Call 1999.

Wanted—To Buy  
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Truce Terminates Athens Hostilities

Athens, Jan. 15.—(P)—A truce ending hostilities between the left wing ELAS and British troops went into effect today.

The peace with EAM leaders was negotiated by Lt. Gen. Ronald M. Scobie, British commander, who yesterday told cheering demonstrators that his forces would protect the Greek people and their liberties against revolution from any quarter.

Moderates who were former members of the EAM, political organization of the ELAS, said at a press conference today they had completely disassociated themselves from that movement. The moderates were formerly Socialist delegates to the EAM from Salonika.

New Thrusts Take Soviets Across Nido

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dustrial areas of southeastern Germany.

Fighting in sub-zero temperatures Koniev's troops made gains yesterday up to 15 miles and captured 200 more localities for a three-day total of 555.

In the northern sector of his salient across the Vistula, however, his troops met sharply stiffening Nazi resistance just south of Kielce. Other Red army elements seeking to push their way up the Vistula toward Warsaw ran into the same hard defensive fighting.

Military observers in Moscow pointed out that Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky's first White Russian army was massed before Warsaw on the eastern bank of the Vistula ready to give the Germans another big defensive problem.

Further north the Third White Russian army is poised in East Prussia, augmented by other Soviet troops released from the Baltic campaign.

Yanks Hurdle Vital Agno River Barrier

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and approached Alaminos on the southern side of the crescent-shaped arc, representing gains of 10 and 20 miles, respectively, from an original beachhead measuring 15 miles.

Capture of Damortis, where the Americans found little more than sniper fire, seals off Japanese troops on the northwest coast from the only highway leading into the Benguet mountains. Some Japanese military leaders are believed to be in these mountains at Baguio, summer capital of the Philippines.

The sweep westward to Alaminos included seizure of Port Sual after a short, sharp fight. Associated Press War Correspondent Fred Hampson reported the Yanks captured a quantity of equipment there—the first instance of material abandoned by the Luzon Japanese.

Oil Centers Targets For Aerial Drive

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ministry communiques generally indicate that a force of more than 1,000 bombers participated.

A small force of raiders struck a secondary blow at the German capital.

Yesterday great armadas of Allied planes blasted Germany's oil resources and communications, and in the best flying weather in days scoured the retreating Nazis in Belgium. Allied headquarters said 232 German planes were shot down in the air while Allied losses were given as 53 planes, including 19 U. S. heavy bombers.

A special order of the day from Lt. Gen. Carl Spaatz, commander of the U. S. Strategic Air Forces in Europe, informed men of the U. S. Eighth Air Force assigned to attack German oil plants and depots that German fuel reserves were now critical. More than 900 heavy bombers and an almost equal number of fighters participated.

The German air force rose in strength to protect its oil supply, and the Britain-based U. S. planes knocked out 189 of them—149 falling to fighter planes which set a new record for the Eighth Air Force. The previous record for a single day was 134.

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Germans Withdrawing All Way To Siegfried Line Try To Stiffen Their Defenses

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His Sixth Armored Division thrust a mile ahead of Michamps, 4 1/2 miles northeast of Bastogne, infantry edged a quarter mile into woods three and a half miles northwest of the Luxembourg town of Wiltz.

Just north of Haguenau forest area of northeast France, the Germans launched another attack on the Hatten area where Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's Seventh Army attempted to halt enemy attempts to break through Maginot line positions. Four Nazi tanks broke into Hatten last night, but had been driven off by midnight.

Field Marshal von Rundstedt strove to hold St. Vith, where two railroads and seven important highways meet four miles west of the German frontier. He sent over 25 tanks, lightly supported by infantry, against Hodges' men at Thimont, and these were badly mauled in two engagements during darkness.

The Americans after cutting the Houffalize-St. Vith road threatened to sever another from Vielsalm to Cherin.

The Germans were fighting on the north behind strong screens of anti-tank guns painted white and hidden in snow drifts.

West of the Laroche-Bertogne road, only German stragglers and a few suicide squads remained as British forces and U. S. Third Army troops fanned through the entire region mopping up haggard and shivering survivors.

The British reached the Ourthe river on a wide front. The Germans offered a strong fight at Mousny, eight miles west of Houffalize.

The Luftwaffe sent up 700 planes Sunday in a desperate defense and had at least 232 of them shot down to Allied losses of 57 bombers and fighters.

Allied air forces from fighters to heavies ranged from the snow-drifted battlefield to Berlin itself.

Hundreds of American warplanes scoured the lines of retreating German troops in the best flying weather in days, riddling some Nazi convoys lined up bumper to bumper.

If the favorable weather continues, Allied air power may be able to wreck great quantities of armor and transport before they reach the German border.

NEW FLOOD BOATS IN THE PITTSBURGH AREA

Pittsburgh, Jan. 15.—(P)—Ten of 50 flood boats purchased by the U. S. Coast Guard are being assigned to the Pittsburgh area merely to improve equipment, and not because of any immediate flood threat.

The boats, to be stationed at strategic points, may be joined to end or side to form one big craft. Seats can be removed to make a ramp. The boats are powered by outboard motors and draw only six inches of water.

Coast Guardsmen, some of whom landed shallow draft boats in the Pacific invasions, are training to use the new craft.

DAIRYMEN DOING WELL

Harrisburg, Jan. 15.—(P)—Pennsylvania Farmers produced more milk and eggs during 1944 than they did in 1943, despite manpower shortages throughout the state. The Federal State Crop Reporting Service of the Department of Agriculture said that milk production was two per cent higher than in 1943 and egg production was up seven per cent. The average number of milk cows per farm reached the highest point ever recorded in the commonwealth. The average number of hens during December was 19,238,000.

STATE RELIEF SURVEY

Harrisburg, Jan. 15.—(P)—Relief costs in Pennsylvania dropped nearly ten per cent during 1944, department of Public Assistance figures revealed today. The total cost for the year was \$54,823,000, a decrease of \$5,380,000 from 1943, said Acting Secretary Robert S. Wray. The state paid out \$35,333,000 with the federal government contributing \$19,470,000.

FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—(P)—Mid-city offices of the Railway Express Agency, Inc. were swept by fire early yesterday, destroying company records and threatening war material awaiting shipment. Seven employees were forced to flee by the blaze, and under investigation by army and navy intelligence, the FBI and city police. Earlier, the three-story textile mill of Vigil Mills, Inc., was destroyed in a six-alarm fire, with damaged placed by plant officials at \$1,000,000.

COASTING FATALITY

Johnstown, Jan. 15.—(P)—Francis Spanda, 12, died in Mercy Hospital yesterday as a result of injuries suffered when his sled coasted into a concrete wall.

SHERIFF CUTS FORCE

Pittsburgh, Jan. 15.—(P)—Sheriff John W. Montgomery today dropped 10 men from his staff of 70-odd deputies. Reduced office income made the economy move necessary, said the sheriff.

Market Quotations

AVERAGES: 155.02; OFF 56.  
VOLUME: 967,000

New York, Jan. 15.—(P)—Noon stocks:

Table with 2 columns: Stock Name, Price. Rows include Air Reduction, Al Chem and Dye, Al Lud, Am Can, Am and For Pow, Am Rad and St S, Am Smelt and R, Am Tel and Tel, Anaconda Cop, Atef T and S F, Atf Refining, Bald Loco Co, Bait and Ohio, Barnsdall, Bendix Aviat, Both Steel, Boeing Airplane, Borden Co, Briggs Mfg, Budd Mfg, Case (JI) Co, Ches and Ohio, Chrysler Corp, Colum. G and El, Coml. Solvents, Cons. Edison, Cont. Can, Curtis Wright, Del. Lark and West, Douglas Aircraft, Du Pont De N., Eastman Kodak, El. Auto Lite, Gen. Elec., Gen. Foods, Gen. Motors, Gen. Refrac, Greystone Corp, Harb. Walker, Hercules Powder, Int. Harvester, Int. Nickel Can, Int. Tel and Tel, Kennecott Cop, Kresge (SS), Lehigh Val R.R., Libby Mc N and L, Loews Inc, Mid Cont, Montgom Ward, Nat Biscuit, Nat Dairy Prod, Nat Distillers, Nat Pow and Lt, N. Y. Central RR, North Amer Co, Northern Pacific, Packard Motor, Payson Pictures, Penn RR, Pub Svc NJ, Pullman, Pure Oil, Radio Corp of Am, Reading Co, Repub Steel, Reynolds Tobacco, Sears Roebuck, Sinclair, Socony Vacuum, Sperry Corp, Stand Brands, Std G and E, Stand Oil Cal, Standard Oil Ind, Standard Oil NJ, Studebaker Corp, Swift and Co, Sylvania, Texas Co, Tidewater, United Aircraft, United Gas Imp, U S Rubber, U S Steel R and M, U Steel, Warner Bros Pic, West Un Tel A, West El and Mfg, Woolworth (FW), Youngst Sh and T.

Obituary

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KENNETH W. DAVIS

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He was born October 18, 1897, at Honeoye Falls, N. Y., near Rochester, the son of the late Watts N. and Anna L. Davis. With the exception of a short time spent with his family in Schenectady, N. Y., he had been a resident of this community all his life. An employee of the Pennsylvania Gas Company for nearly 20 years, he was chief dispatcher at the mixing plant on Conewango avenue at the time of his death.

He was a veteran of World War I, having served with the 306th Field Signal Battalion of the 80th Division. He entered the service in June, 1917, was overseas for about 14 months and was honorably discharged from the army in July, 1919. He was an active member of Chief Conplanter Post, No. 135, American Legion, and was its second oldest commander.

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Surviving him are his wife, Marion, and one daughter, M. Ruth, at home; also a brother, Norman A., of Oil City. Another brother, Charles, died, preceded him in death in 1942.

Services in his memory will be held at 3:15 p. m. Tuesday at First Presbyterian church, Dr. Harold C. Warren officiating and the American Legion in charge of the military ritual at Oakland cemetery, where interment will be made in the veterans' plot. Planning to attend the rites as separate bodies are the Legion Post, Legion Auxiliary and the PAK. Friends may call at the Lutz Funeral home at the usual hours prior to the services.

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Funeral services were held at one o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tambrine, Allegheny avenue, with Father Alfred Bauer officiating and interment in Hale cemetery at Akeley.

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She was a charter member of the local chapter, having first been affiliated with Tidouthe Chapter, DAR, before the local unit was organized. She was also a member and past matron of Warren Chapter, No. 56, Order of the Eastern Star, and a member of the First Presbyterian church.

Her only immediate survivor is her daughter, Miss Eva Pelton, in St. Petersburg, Fla.

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## Wreck - Blocked Tracks Are Cleared and Traffic Resumed

Wrecking crews of the Pennsylvania railroad last night finished the cleaning of the tracks of the railroad at Roystone of the tangled mass of wreckage left when a fast freight piled up there. The freight was a fast one carrying empties westward and the locomotive left the rails dragging 21 cars off the track. They were piled up in a tangled mass that reduced most of the cars to kindling and the loss was a heavy one. Most of the cars were of the refrigerator type of a class that are hard to replace and they were used for shipping meats and fruits to the eastern market.

Engineer C. S. Myers, of Erie and two other crew members were in the locomotive when it left the rails and Myers was catapulted some distance from the train but due to the heavy snow escaped uninjured. The engine rolled down a 20 foot embankment before it came to rest.

The wrecking crews were soon on the job and with huge cranes dumped many of the cars off onto the right of way in an endeavor to get the tracks cleared for traffic. Passenger trains were detoured via Olean while the wreck clogged the lines.

## MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

## Richard Moll In Engineer Unit Honored

Cpl. Richard H. Moll, son of Frank Moll, 2041 Pennsylvania avenue, east, along with other members of a Ninth Air Force Aviation Engineer Battalion, has been awarded the Presidential Distinguished Unit Citation.

Despite enemy fire and heavy mining, the unit constructed the first transport aviation field and the first operational airfield in their battalions of the Ninth Engineer Command in building more than 100 airdromes for the air campaign in France.

He landed with one of the first detachments of the battalion, coming ashore with the infantry on plus one. The original site of an emergency landing strip was still in enemy hands, and by constructing the project on a "borrowed site", the unit was credited with providing an evacuation field that saved the lives of hundreds of men whom the overtaxed beachhead hospitals could not have cared for.

The operational airfield was constructed in six days for use by the Ninth Air Force fighter bombers who dive bombed and strafed enemy strongpoints in front of the advancing armies.

## Shollenberger In Cited Unit

Mrs. B. Shollenberger, 206 North Main street, has received some special news through headquarters of a 12th AAF B-26 Marauder group. A special dispatch from here reports that her son, S/Sgt. John L. Shollenberger, 22, is entitled to wear the Distinguished Unit badge, mark of the highest citation that is awarded armed forces.

His B-26 Marauder unit, operating in the Mediterranean theatre, has been cited by the War Department for "outstanding performance of duty in armed conflict with the enemy."

Overseas since July, 1944, S/Sgt. Shollenberger is a gunner on a B-26 Marauder.

**MEET IN BELGIUM**

In a letter to his father at Pittsburgh, S. Arthur Morrison writes that he met his father and sister at early in December and quite a chance he encountered an old friend and home town boy, Pvt. Paul Fehman, in Belgium. Although scarcely able to recognize each other at first, since neither had shaved or washed for 21 days, their spirits soared as they visited for a short while.

## T-5 Smith Is Recipient of Bronze Star

Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Smith, of Clarendon, have received word that their son, T/5 Arthur C. Smith, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for participation in action against the enemy on Leyte.

The citation accompanying the decoration reads:

"Technician Fifth Grade Arthur C. Smith, 33498692, United States Army. For heroic service in connection with military operations against the enemy near Dagami, Leyte, Philippine Islands, on November 3, 1944. Technician Fifth Grade Smith voluntarily and with complete disregard for his own personal safety, went forward in the face of heavy machine gun, mortar and sniper fire to evacuate wounded comrades. The heroism displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Smith reflects credit upon himself and the Military Service."

A member of the 96th Division in the invasion of Leyte, T/5 Smith was in the front lines for 33 consecutive days. He has also been awarded the badge expert combat infantryman.

## Varied Life For Engineer

Arriving from headquarters of a Sixth Army Group somewhere in France is a special dispatch which reports that Pfc. Louis P. Vizza is a member of an engineer regiment that spends part of its time building bridges but most of the time in the Sixth Army group front as infantry. The report continues:

The regiment, activated in 1941 at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., has taken part in the North African, Italian and Southern France campaigns. After taking part in the Carolina maneuvers in 1941, they received intensive amphibious training and came overseas in 1942.

The regiment landed on D-Day in Southern France and operated several beach areas until early in September, when they joined the drive on Germany. One battalion of the regiment helped prepare the harbor at Marseilles to receive Allied supplies.

Pfc. H. L. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Johnson, 16 Park street, has left for Grand Island, Neb., after a short furlough at home, stopping en route at Buffalo to visit his sister, Miss Marie Johnson.

**PROMOTION AND BADGE**

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Jordan, of Lottsville, have received word that their son, Howard, has been promoted to staff sergeant and presented with the Combat Infantry Badge. Sgt. Jordan is serving with General Patch's Seventh Army somewhere in Germany.

The Jordans have also received word that their daughter, Pvt. Autumn Jordan, of the WAC, has finished her basic training at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., and has been

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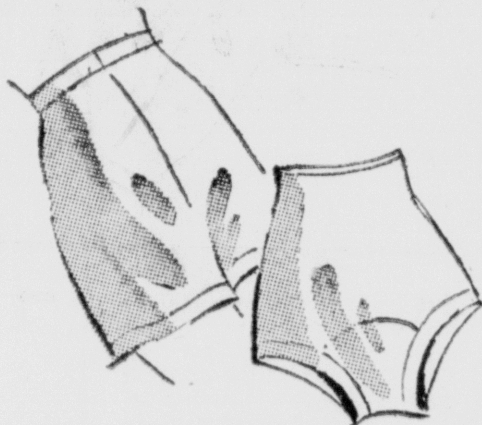
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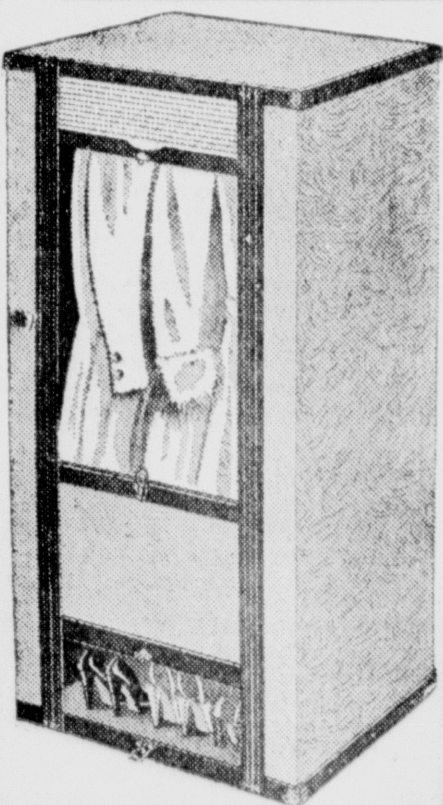
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transferred to Camp Roberts, Calif. where she is with a motor transport division.

Pfc. William Erickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Erickson, is home on a furlough from Newfoundland where he has been stationed for nearly three years.

**HOME FROM PACIFIC**

Lt. (j.g.) Allen M. Smith, home on 20-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Smith, Starbrick, left Thursday night for New York, from where he will go by plane to California for further naval assignment. Pilot of a patrol bomber, land-based navy plane, he has been in the South Pacific Area for the past 14 months and has successfully flown missions over most of the island groups, including the Marshalls, Gilberts, Marianas and others. No single man in his squadron has less than 200 missions to his credit, Lt. Smith reports.

Mrs. R. L. Pierce, 12 Maple street, North Warren, has received a letter from her son G. F. Pierce, somewhere in the Pacific, stating that he has been promoted to the rank of ensign. Ensign Pierce lived for a time when a boy in Warren and has since visited here frequently. He has many friends here who will be interested in learning of his promotion. He has been in the navy for twenty years and since the outbreak of

the war has seen considerable action including the battles at Pearl Harbor and the Aleutians.

Mrs. Frank W. Frederick, Cobham Park road, has received word that her husband, Pvt. Frederick, has arrived safely somewhere in England with his heavy field artillery unit.

Pvt. LeRoy Gregory, wounded near Metz, France, on September 20 and more recently hospitalized at Thayer General Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., is home on 21-day furlough to visit his mother, Mrs. Ellen Gregory, 818 Fourth avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stanton, of Lander, have received word that their nephew, Richard Graves, Marine serving in the Pacific area, has been promoted to private first class. He is the son of Mrs. Frank Al-mendinger, of Starbrick.

## REPORTED INJURED

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ludwig, of Lander, received a telegram from the War Department Saturday informing them that their son, Sgt. Myron Ludwig, serving in the Pacific area, had been slightly injured in action over the Marianas.

S/Sgt. Joseph Tamburine is visiting his brother Frank Tamburine, 1529 Allegheny avenue after recently completing 35 missions in the European theatre of war. S/Sgt. Tamburine wears the presi-

dential citation, the Air Medal with five Oak Leaf clusters and two Bronze Stars. After his visit of twenty days he will report to Miami Beach, Fla., for further assignment. He has a brother, Pvt. Angelo Tamburine who is with Hodges' First Army, last heard from in Luxembourg.

The family of Cpl. Stuart L. Lord has received word that he has arrived safely somewhere in the Pacific Area.

## Sports Roundup

(From Page Eight)

Grounds isn't merely a baseball park. Its a football field, too, and the scene of some great boxing matches and of big events in lesser sports.

**Contrasts in Color**

Eddie Brannick, the Giants, picks as his most vividly remembered game at the Polo Grounds that 1933 duel between Car Hubbell and Dizzy Dean when Hubbell hurled "one of the great games of his career" to win 1-0 in 18 innings. But Eddie might have chosen the all-star game the next year when Hubbell fanned five great American League sluggers—Ruth, Gehrig, Foxx, Simmons and Croning—in succession... another memorable all-star spectacle

was that first wartime clash, in 1942, when a cloudburst swept the field just before the twilight game and a blackout followed the last play, leaving 34,000 fans to sit in darkness.

## Army-Navy

Old Manhattan Field was the scene of many a titanic football tussle between Yale and Princeton, but when the Polo Grounds was rebuilt after the 1911 fire, it became New York's big football field... such teams as Dartmouth, Syracuse, Washington and Jefferson, Lafayette and Brown—tops in those days—brought their big games to New York... and for many years West Point chose the field as its "home" grounds for its games with Navy... it was there that Cadets Verne Pritchard and Lou Lerrilat, who had learned forward passing the hard way after Knute Rockne and Gus Dorais pitched Notre Dame to victory over Army, put their lessons into effect to beat Navy 22-6 in 1913. And it was 14 years later that Red Cagle, Light Horse Harry Wilson and their now more-famous army teammates won the last game before Army and Navy had to move to ever bigger fields.

## Tenth Ave. Tech

In 1925 the football Giants were organized and professional football in New York "caught on" when one of the best-publicized of all college stars, Red Grange, came

to town with the Chicago Bears and 75,000 people turned out to see him. The game wasn't much, but the old Polo Grounds never has seen a crowd like it, and the customers kept coming back for more thrills... They got plenty in 1934 when the Bears won a regular-season tussle, 9-7, as a Chicago player stole the ball to set up a last-minute field goal by Jack Manders, and then Chicago came back for the title playoff... that was the game played on an ice-coated field. The Giants helpless through the first half, came out after the intermission wearing sneakers instead of cleated shoes and ran wild to win 30-13... Stout Steve Owen, Giants' coach since the beginning, says simply: "That was my greatest thrill in sports."

## Bradford Cage Star Killed in Crash

Brandford, Jan. 15—Aviation Cadet Donald C. Walker, former All-Star basketball guard, and prominent athlete on Bradford High School's championship teams, was instantly killed when his B-25 and a second plane collided as the latter was taking off on a combat training flight at Moody Field, Georgia.

Cadet Walker was named to the guard position on the All-Penn-

sylvania scholastic basketball team because of his outstanding performance during the 42-43 cage season, and especially for his work in the Bradford-Farrell game in March of 1943 in the final semifinal championship play. Walker enlisted in the air corps at the same time as Dominic Frisini and Harold Wittichin and all three were members of the same cage squad and played their final game that night against Farrell.

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